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CONDENSED NEWS

For Busy Readers.

LOCAL NEWS.

Registration books close at 7 o'clock this evening; those not registered by that time cannot vote in the fall election.

Henry M. Blackmer, one of the administrators to collect of the estate of W. S. Stratton, was a passenger on the east bound Rock Island train Saturday night which Attorney Henry McAllister and Sheriff Gilbert were eager to catch.

STATE NEWS.

Thomas Sively, a Cripple Creek teamster, was seriously and perhaps fatally injured by the overturning of a wagon yesterday; John Morrison, who was with him, was badly bruised.

Republicans will hold a rally in Cripple Creek tonight and in Victor tomorrow night.

Judge Stimson will be the principal speaker at a Democratic rally in Victor tonight.

NEWS IN GENERAL.

Three white men and eight negroes are reported to have been killed in a race riot in a small town 25 miles southwest of Birmingham, Alabama.

Colonel George H. Mendell, president of the board of public works of San Francisco, died yesterday; he was a West Point graduate and served with distinction during the civil war as a topographical engineer.

Carroll D. Wright, who is the recorder of the arbitration commission appointed by the president to consider the differences between the mine operators and the miners, last night discussed in a general way with President Roosevelt the work of the commission and the existing condition of affairs as reflected in newspaper reports.

James Younger, one of the three brothers who gained great notoriety through their association with Jesse James, committed suicide by shooting yesterday.

According to the annual report of the commissioner of education, synopsis of which is given in today's Gazette, total enrollment of pupils in all schools of the United States for the year ended June 30, 1901, was 17,200,240.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Fifteen persons were immersed and five of them drowned as a result of the collapse Saturday of a bridge over the Golden Horn, connecting Constantinople with the suburb of Galata.

A dispatch to a Madrid newspaper from Tangier, Morocco, declares that all Europeans have been expelled from Fez.

It is reported that yellow fever and smallpox have broken out among the forces of the Colombian government at Colon and that there are 10 deaths daily from these diseases among the soldiers there.

The Gironale De Italia, published in Rome, announces that the emperor and empress of Russia will come to Italy next November, escorted by a Russian squadron.

There was a large meeting yesterday at Philippopolis, Bulgaria, yesterday under the auspices of the Macedonia committee; resolutions were passed requesting Bulgaria to negotiate with the powers to secure their mediation for the enforcement of the Berlin treaty in Macedonia.

According to a dispatch from London there was a demonstration in Hyde Park yesterday by several thousand reservists from South Africa, who demanded prompt payment of their arrears in pay, and assistance to obtain work.

The movement in favor of a general strike is gaining strength throughout northern Portugal.

KILLED IN AN EXPLOSION OF TUG BOAT BOILER

By Associated Press.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 19.—Two persons were killed and one fatally and three slightly injured in an explosion that partially wrecked the tugboat Fred Nellis of St. Louis, near Mound City, Ark., early today. The dead:

Mrs. Josie Hill, St. Louis, badly scalded; died in hospital.

William Phillips, Memphis, second engineer; badly scalded; died in hospital.

The injured—Willie Gillett, negro porter, will die; Tom Manning, deckhand, scalded; Captain Thomas Ledger, St. Louis, scalded; Frank Hill, St. Louis, chief engineer, husband of Mrs. Hill, slightly scalded.

The Nellis, which was put in commission at Plaquemine, Minn., 30 days ago, had 11 persons on board at the time of the accident. The boat left Memphis last night bound for Thebes, Ill., where she was to be used in constructing a railroad bridge. She tied up near Mound City.

The explosion was caused by the boiler flues giving way. The upper deck of the tug was wrecked but she can probably be repaired.

Mrs. Hill leaves five children, all of whom were on board the vessel.

RESIGNED PASTORATE TO STUDY HUMAN NATURE

By Associated Press.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 19.—Rev. G. A. Taggart, who has been pastor of the Mississippi avenue Congregational church in this city, has resigned his pastorate and taken a position as conductor on one of the city street railway lines.

Mr. Taggart took the position of conductor, he says, that he might have outdoor employment and an opportunity of studying human nature, so that if he returns to the ministry he will have a stock of valuable information.

BICYCLE RACES.

By Associated Press.

Newark, N. J., Oct. 19.—About 2,500 spectators witnessed a good day's racing at the Vailsburg track today.

Lawson won the first heat of the three-cornered match race by a length. Kramer was pocketed. The second heat was given to Kramer, much to the displeasure of the crowd. In the third heat McFarland defeated Kramer in handy fashion. The champion was not at his best. Lawson and McFarland teamed and as each won a heat they won first prize. Summary:

Five miles, open amateur, won by E. T. Root, Boston. Time, 11:55.

Three-cornered team match race, professional—Won by Iver Lawson and Floyd McFarland; W. S. Fenn and G. H. Collett, second; C. S. Kimble and Frank L. Kramer, third. Time, 2:18 [illegible], 2:16, 2:20.

THURSDAY PROBABLY DAY TO RESUME WORK

Mine Workers' Convention Meets in Wilkesbarre at 10 O'clock This Morning—Meeting Will Probably Be Held Behind Closed Doors and Debate Is Likely to Consume Two Days.

By Associated Press.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 19.—Delegates to the anthracite mine workers' convention which will meet in the Nesbitt theater this city at 10 o'clock tomorrow forenoon for the purpose of accepting or rejecting the proposition of the president of the United States to end the strike and submit all grievances to the arbitration commission appointed by him began arriving here today and about one-quarter of the 700 delegates to the convention are now in the city. Strike headquarters which had been extremely quiet since the excitement last week began to be lively before noon today. Many of the delegates are instructed in various features of the settlement, but a majority of them will follow the advice and judgment of President Mitchell. There is nothing on the surface tonight that gives the slightest indication that the convention will not vote to send the men to work this week with the probabilities still in favor of Thursday as the day of resumption. A noticeable thing among the delegates was their cheerfulness. It was quite evident to observers that they will be glad to get together and decide to return to work after the weary idleness of more than five months.

All of the delegates who were spoken to regarding the action of tomorrow's convention appeared to have no fear that a hitch might occur which would disarrange the present peaceful trend of affairs. A good many of the delegates say they have instructions on certain matters which they will place before the delegates.

As already stated in these dispatches, the principal question outside of the great question of accepting or rejecting President Roosevelt's proposition will be that of strikers getting their old places. A number of the men fear that in the general rush to return to the mines some of them may fail to get work. They want some assurance of the convention that they will be able to get the positions they occupied before the suspension was ordered. It is likely this element from the three districts will join forces and make a concerted fight on the floor of the convention for some specific action. In the face of the fact that the operators are on record that they will not dismiss one man who stood by them during the struggle, it is going to be a serious problem to solve. The debate, it is believed will take up a great deal of the time of the convention which is expected to last not more than two days. The meeting in all likelihood will be held behind closed doors.

President Mitchell will be chairman and during the first session in an opening speech to the delegates he will lay the plan of arbitration submitted by the president of the United States before them for action. He will recommend that it be accepted and the men return to work as quickly as the coal companies can provide work. National Secretary Wilson will be selected as secretary and he will have as assistants the district secretaries.

There were no reports of disturbances at military headquarters today from any region affected by the strike.

President Mitchell had many callers today. Most of the delegates who arrived today called and paid their respects and congratulated him on the near ending of the struggle.

Among Mr. Mitchell's callers was Mayor Samuel Jones of Toledo.

By Associated Press.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 19.—District President Nichols of the United Mine Workers when asked today how long the convention would probably last, said he expected it would adjourn some time Tuesday. He expressed the opinion that there would not be any very great opposition to the acceptance of the proposition.

E. E. Clark of Cedar Rapids, Ia., grand chief of the order of Railway Conductors, who was chosen as one of the arbitrators of the miners' strike dispute was here today. He said he had not yet received official notice of his selection as he has been on the road for two weeks, but expects to find it awaiting him when he arrives home tomorrow. Mr. Clark said he would certainly accept, if for no other reason than to avoid the complication and delay that might result from one of the commissioners declining. Mr. Clark came here to attend a union meeting that had been called to discuss grievances which the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western road's men seek to have redressed, but while meeting it was decided to postpone until after the mine strike is out of the way. Mr. Clark met with the local lodge of conductors and left for home tonight.

GREAT EXPECTATIONS FOR KANSAS CITY HORSE SHOW

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Oct. 19.—The eighth annual horse show which will begin in convention hall tomorrow night and last during the entire week promises to be the most successful in the history of the Kansas City Horse Show association. The entry list numbers more than 600, breaking all previous records, and the great variety of events includes many features which will be new to horse show patrons of this city and vicinity. The tan bark arena this year will be given over to equine actors ranging from the high steppers from the east with already many prizes to their credit, to cow ponies fresh from the cattle ranges of the west to which the show ring will be a new experience. "Broncho busting" exhibitions will be among the innovations.

Cecil W. Eveleigh De Molyens of London, England, a noted whip, will officiate as ringmaster. Francis B. Drago of London, Francis M. Ware and George B. Hulme of New York, John D. Hope and F. A. B. Portman, Warrenton, Va.; J. B. Bowles of Bardstown, Ky.; W. R. Goodwin, Jr., of New York; George L. Goulding of Denver and Jerome D. Eubanks of Kansas City, will act as judges. L. K. Cameron of Louisville will be the hornblower.

The sale of seats is unprecedented, the thirty-six boxes having been disposed of two weeks ago.

PRESENCE OF MIND AVERTED A CATASTROPHE AT OMAHA

By Associated Press.

Omaha, Oct. 19.—A serious catastrophe was narrowly averted at the First Christian church today when the 500 people who gathered to hear Rev. Allen Wilson of Irvington, Ind., barely escaped being thrown into the basement, 25 feet below, by the giving away of rotten timbers in the floor. The vast audience passed out quietly, however, upon being notified of their peril and all escaped unhurt.

Rev. Harry G. Hill, pastor of the church, quietly notified the audience that the floors were unsafe and requested the people to retire as quietly as possible and asking that the ladies be permitted to first get out of the building. Those in the audience did not know of their real peril until they were all out of the building when it was learned that the floor had settled five inches and that the gallery was in a tottering condition.

The church, which was an old building, was rendered useless and probably will have to be rebuilt.

BRITISH ENGAGEMENT WITH THE MAD MULLAH'S FORCES

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 19.—The foreign office has issued an undated dispatch from Colonel Cobbe, commanding the columns of British forces operating against the Mad Mullah in Somaliland. The dispatch was forwarded through the British vice consul at Berbera, Somaliland. The British forces engaged were composed entirely of native troops and levies. Colonel Cobbe says:

"My force reached Erego this morning. When about one day's march north of Mudug it was attacked in the thick bush. Two advances were made and the enemy was beaten back in the morning. Their losses were heavy and we captured 100 rifles. Our force then proceeded to collect animals for transportation purposes and to join the detachment at the stockade camp. In the afternoon a reconnaissance was made and after sharp fighting the enemy was again driven off. I deeply regret to report the following casualties: Colonel Phillips and Captain Angus and 50 men killed, and about 100 men injured. The latter include Captain Howard and Lieutenant Everett, but both are doing well. There were severe losses among the transport and riding camels. The force will reach the stockade camp tomorrow and will advance to attack the enemy."

The vice consul also telegraphs the substance of a later dispatch from Colonel Swayne, who says that as a result of the fighting at Erego, October 6, which was very severe, the Somali levies are considerably shaken. The Mullah, who is said to be in communication with Kali and Inger in the direction of the Webbe river, is bringing up reinforcements from all sides.

Colonel Swayne is much hampered owing to the necessity of transporting the wounded and water. He is retiring on Bohotle. He asks that 600 further reliable troops be dispatched from Berbera forthwith.

A party consisting of J. C. Carroll, Harry Hackman, A. Hackman, A. T. Epperson, F. Anderson, J. Lindsay, Sam Morrison, G. W. Sidler, C. W. Bowman, J. C. Campbell and C. A. Mudrock left last night over the Midland for Newcastle and vicinity, where they will hunt for the next 10 days. This is probably the largest party of huntsmen that has gone out from this city so far this season. Mr. Campbell is from Oklahoma and Mr. Mudrock is from Kansas City.

YOUNGER COMMITTED SUICIDE BY SHOOTING

Youngest of Three Brothers Who Gained Notoriety Through Association With Jesse James—Was Out of the Penitentiary on Parole.

By Associated Press.

St. Paul, Oct. 19.—James Younger, formerly a member of the notorious band of James outlaws which infested the country a quarter of a century ago, committed suicide today by shooting. He left a letter to the press in which he gives as a reason for his act, despondency over continued ill health and separation from his friends. The suicide is supposed to have occurred about 8 o'clock this morning. Younger occupied a room in a down town block and when he did not make his appearance as usual today, search was made for him. About 5 o'clock this afternoon the door of his room was broken in and his dead body found stretched on the floor beside the bed, a revolver clutched in his right hand. He had shot himself through the head and had evidently been dead for several hours.

Younger, since his parole from the state penitentiary in July of last year, had led an exemplary life. His first employment was as traveling agent for a tombstone dealer, and one one of his trips he made about the state he was quite seriously hurt by a fall from a wagon. Old wounds he had received earlier in life also gave him much trouble, and although he soon obtained lighter employment his health was extremely precarious and this caused him much worriment. He was 54 years of age.

On a bureau in the room was found a long manila envelope, on one side of which was written:

"To all that is good and true I love and bid farewell. "Jim Younger."

On the other side of the envelope were written these words:

"Oh! Lassie, good-bye.

"All relatives, just stay away from me. No crocodile tears wanted.

"Reporters: Be my friends. Burn me up. "Jim Younger."

The envelope contained a package of letters that had passed between Younger and a lady with whom he is said to have been much in love. The lady, who is prominently connected, is said to have reciprocated his affection and it was reported at one time that they were to be married. The lady's relatives raised strenuous objections to the wedding and a stronger obstacle was the fact that it was pointed out that a paroled prisoner could not legally contract a marriage. The couple determined to disregard the objections of relatives, and an effort was made to overcome the other obstacle to their marriage by securing from the state board of pardons a full pardon and restoration to citizenship. This effort failed and this, it is thought, had much to do with Younger's determination to end his life. The lady is said to be now in Boise, Idaho, for her health. It is said that relations between Jim and Cole Younger were very much strained—in fact, the brothers had not been on speaking terms for the past six months. Cole Younger is confined to his bed with sickness and could not be seen by reporters. The difference between the brothers is reported to have been over money matters.

The body was viewed by the coroner, who decided that an inquest was not necessary. It is not known what disposition will be made of the remains, some doubt arising under the terms of the parole as to whether the body can be removed from the state.

Jas. Younger was youngest of three brothers, Robert, Coleman, and James Younger, who between the years 1866 and 1873 gained great notoriety through their association with Jesse and Frank James. The band headed by Jesse James was charged with innumerable robberies of banks and railroad trains, in the execution of which many desperate encounters took place and a number of men were killed. The members of the band had served through the civil war fighting on the side of the confederacy with Quantrell and his guerrillas. The scene of most of their alleged post-bellum depredations was the state of Missouri and the adjacent territory, but in September, 1876, the band entered Minnesota, traversing the state as far as the little town of Northfield, in Rice county. There on September 7, after terrorizing the people on the streets an attempt was made to loot the First National bank. Cashier J. L. Heywood, who was in charge of the bank, made a plucky fight to preserve the funds of the institution from the robbers and during the encounter was shot and killed, not, however, until he had wounded one or more of the raiders. The citizens of Northfield, quickly recovering from the panic into which the advent of the raiders had thrown them, armed themselves and started in pursuit of the desperadoes, who, baffled at the resistance they had encountered, had mounted their horses and were attempting to escape. A week was spent in their desperate retreat, the pursuing posse of citizens again coming into contact with the bandits and exchanging shots with them. The raiders were handicapped in their retreat by the wounded, whom they were endeavoring to carry along with them and finally, in a thick wood, the posse surrounded them. A battle ensued in which three of the members of the gang were killed and the three Younger brothers were captured. Jesse James and the remainder of the outlaws succeeded in making good their escape.

All of the three Younger brothers had been wounded in the series of battles which had marked their retreat and to this day carry the bullets fired at them by the citizens. The prisoners were brought speedily to trial and on November 21, 1876, pleaded guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree, this plea, it is said, having been entered in order to escape conviction by a jury which would have involved the infliction of the death penalty. The brothers were sentenced to the Stillwater penitentiary to serve a life sentence.

In 1889 an effort was made to secure an unconditional pardon for the brothers, it being pleaded in support of these efforts that it had been proved that neither of the brothers had fired the shot that killed Cashier Heywood and a further plea for mercy was based upon the ground that Bob Younger was dying of consumption. Superintendent of the Census William R. Merriam, who then occupied the gubernatorial chair, refused to accede to the request for a pardon, there still being a very strong sentiment against the brothers in Northfield and Rice county. Shortly after this Robert Younger died in prison.

Frequent attempts were made to secure pardon for the Younger brothers, the petitions being signed by leading men in all walks of life, both citizens of this state and of Missouri. Among those who made special effort to secure the granting of a pardon was Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, who it is said, had known the brothers well in the days before the war. It is also related that the senator's life was saved during the civil war through the efforts of Cole Younger. Elkins had been captured by Quantrell's guerrillas and had been sentenced to be shot, but Younger connived at his escape from the gang and succeeded in restoring him to his regiment.

All efforts at securing an unconditional pardon having failed, a bill was introduced in the state legislature in 1901, empowering the state board of pardons to grant paroles to life prisoners who had served twenty-five years or more. The bill was hard fought, but finally passed both branches of the legislature and was sent to Governor Van Sant for his signature. The governor had three days within which to sign or veto the bill, failing which the act would become a law without his signature. Before the three days had expired, the house recalled the bill and did not return it to the governor until the time for approval had elapsed. The state pardoning board, however, of which the chief justice of the state is a member, decided that the bill had become a law without the signature of the governor and on July 10, 1901, upon recommendation of the board of prison commissioners, a parole was granted to Coleman and James Younger, and on July 11 they were released.

Under the terms of the parole the brothers were not to leave the state and since their release they have been engaged in business of various sorts. James Younger has suffered much from old wounds, and several months ago an operation was performed for the removal of a rifle ball from his back.

On another sheet of paper Younger had written this message, evidently his last words before committing suicide:

"October 18—last on earth—so good bye Lassie, for I still think of thee. A. U. G. forgive me, for this is my only chance. I have done nothing wrong. But policies that Van Sant, Wolfer and others of their stripe care for, let the people judge. Treat me right and fair, reporters, for I am a square man, a socialist and decidedly in favor of woman's rights. Bryan is the brightest man these United States has ever produced. His one mistake was in not coming out for all the people and absolute socialism. Come out, Bryan. There is no such thing as a personal God. God is universal and I know him well and am not afraid. I have pity for the pardoning board. They do not stop to consider their wives or to think of the man who knows how to love and appreciate a friend in truth. Good bye, sweet Lassie."

ASKED TO INTERVENE IN BEHALF OF MACEDONIA

By Associated Press.

Rome, Oct. 19.—The Tribuna today publishes a communication from M. Michaelowsky addressed to the powers and inviting their intervention in behalf of the Macedonians against Turkish vengeance. M. Michaelowsky declared that in several districts Turkish troops are massacring women and children.

LIGHT ON THE PERSECUTION OF JEWS IN ROUMANIA

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 20.—The Daily Mail recently sent a correspondent to Roumania to investigate the Jewish question there and this morning the paper publishes a letter from his correspondent in which he says that in Roumania the laws are fair but there is crying injustice in their application or rather their non-application, to the Jews. The Jews, he writes, are persecuted, not on account of their religion, but because if they were naturalized and treated justly they would own half the land, and, in short, "run" the country.

The correspondent declares that a large number of Roumanian deputies derive large portions of their incomes from heavy bribes on the condition that they will help Jews to obtain naturalization papers.

ANOTHER INDIANA MAN RESENTS IT

James Parker, Formerly of Jeffersonville, Supplements the Statement of George Pfau, Published in the Gazette Yesterday, Concerning the Derogatory Published Statements on the Early Life of Mr. Stratton.

It is not often that the memory of a dead man is attacked and it is not often that statements such as have appeared in print concerning the late W. S. Stratton's early life, over the name of Richard Work, could find publicity through the channels of a newspaper, except for purely mercenary reasons.

It is equally true, however, that when such unusual occurrences are actually met with, there are those in a position to know who are quick to stand up and proclaim the truth as they have known it, especially in defense of the memory of a man who has departed.

And so it is in this case. Yesterday morning the Gazette published a statement from George Pfau, who has resided in Jeffersonville, Ind., since 1856, in which he effectually refutes the tone and specific allegations contained in published reports about Mr. Stratton and last night the Gazette received a second statement, over the signature of James Parker, who was a near neighbor of Mr. Stratton during his residence in Jeffersonville, Mr. Parker and Mr. Pfau being old acquaintances, and Mr. Pfau further emphasizing his statement published yesterday by attesting and indorsing that of Mr. Parker which appears today.

(Answer to Richard Work, in Denver Post, October 13, 1902.)

In justice to one who has recently been taken from our midst I feel it my duty, as one who is thoroughly acquainted with the early life of Mr. W. S. Stratton, to deny the malicious publication by Richard Work in the Denver Post of October 13, 1902.

W. S. Stratton left Jeffersonville, Indiana, 34 years ago, instead of "less than 20," and furthermore, instead of being "literally kicked from the door of his home" his departure was a regret and grief to his family. "The story of his poverty and vicissitudes of his early life were never told." In answer to this, I will say the early life of W. S. Stratton was not one of "poverty and want," but was a life of moderate circumstances fraught with industry and perseverance. Far from being a frequenter of low places the time between 14 and 20 years of age was spent in learning and practicing his trade. I do not mean he never entered a saloon or that he did not have his faults, but I do say that W. S. Stratton as a boy, had no more faults or shortcomings than the average young man of his day.

Contrary to the statement of the [illegible] er penniless, friendless, poorly educated, nor cast off by his family. On the other hand, he was prosperous at his trade and owned property in Colorado Springs, consequently could not have been "on the road to a pauper's grave."

His biographer is the first to assail his reputation as a mechanic or accuse him of an indolent or lazy disposition.

Neither was the greater part of his life spent in Jeffersonville. After leaving there at the age of 20 years he was never at home for any great length of time.

A common school education, as well as the C. Leonhard private school of Jeffersonville, afforded an ample foundation; afterward, constant application and the perusal of scientific and other standard literature assisted in the development of the qualities of a self-made man. Later a course in Colorado college in mineralogy, geology and assaying, fitted him for an unusual mining career.

His father, a successful contractor and shipbuilder of the firm of Logan & Stratton, retired from business with a competency. He had the full esteem of his fellow citizens and was a member of the city council of Jeffersonville for 20 years. Instead of being a "little, old, bent man," although both gray and bald, he was of fine physique, straight as an arrow, and a man of unusual activity even up to the time of his death.

If W. S. Stratton ever asked his father for $2, he was sure to have received it. The family were very proud of the only son and brother who lived to reach maturity.

W. S. Stratton was always of quiet disposition, and of the many who recognized his worth and sought his companionship few were admitted to the inner sanctuary which time had prepared for the tried and true. Hence, his biographer says he was without friends and of sour and surly disposition. To discover his love for little children, one needs but enter his home, to see in every room reminders of tiny tots. The pansy bed, under which lies "Dick," his faithful dog, tells its own tale of love for animals and appreciation of their loyalty. A greater lover of music, birds, flowers and all nature could not be found, and a remark he made a short time before his death attests this fact—"Some day I shall have all the music I want."

It may be as well to state here that our informer has been misinformed concerning the church home of the Stratton family. All, including the late W. S., were at one time members of the Christian church, instead of the Presbyterian church. He had for years shown a deep and studious interest in the bible, and while a boy at home offered to each of two younger sisters a gift of money as an incentive to the perusal of the new testament, and with his first earnings purchased for his mother a bible.

The biographer's description of "the last day in Jeffersonville" is so ridiculous as to cause one to throw up his hands in horror at the prevarications. Had his literary ambitions and love of fiction allowed him to deal with truths, the article would have been more readily accepted by a reasoning public. For a man of Mr. Stratton's caliber and innate family pride to be described as degrading himself and attacking an aged parent—who, by the way, was not aged at that time—in the manner the writer states, is more than can be tolerated without refutation.

It was not Mr. Stratton's aim in life to be fashionably clad, but his whole appearance indicated studious care and extreme neatness in dress. As did his father before him, he always wore a white shirt and collar, even at his carpenter work. He was never known to appear on the street in any but a sack coat. The hat worn by him in youth was similar to the ones of later years—the Stetson, Columbia and Denver shapes. Never did he wear a "slouch hat." Moreover, our informer must be color blind. Mr. Stratton's mustache was never "red," and does he also know that the eyes he has been pleased to term "blear eyes" have been repeatedly described as unusually piercing, clear and blue, and the most striking feature of a very bright face?

With his first earnings he ceased to go to his father for money, and, though his trip west was against his father's wishes, on the eve of his departure, to the snug little sum already saved by the son, he added his gift of $500.

This is the true picture. One so unlike the artist has painted of a brutal son and disgraced brother! The barrel and bowling pin story is in keeping with the rest of the fabrication. For even a casual acquaintance with the Stratton family—which the biographer did not have—would bring to light an innate family pride to which the son was no exception. Our informer adds another inconsistency to his cobweb tale, by representing a man without the price of a drink, a penniless pauper without friends or family from whom to borrow, boarding a train for St. Louis. Pray, where did he get the means to purchase his ticket if he was [illegible]? Far from being "disowned," during the years of his absence a continuous correspondence was carried on between the various members of the family.

The tale of a midnight visit to his old home," and the spurning of his Jeffersonville friends has no more stable foundation than rumor and the mystery with which newspaper articles surround a millionaire. According to his own statement, he never made the nocturnal visit. The unwelcome sister referred to, who, I judge from the article, made her home in Jeffersonville, is, like other of our informer's targets, dead and unable to deny the allegations made against her. It is sufficient to say she never visited Colorado Springs except in answer to invitations from her brother, consequently was never turned from his door. The story of the negro episode and hotel life is preposterous. Mr. Stratton never made his home in a hotel for any length of time.

All of his near relatives, as well as others, have been bountifully blessed by the generosity which marked his youth, and characterized his advancing years.

It is scarcely to be expected that the writer of such an article would have the bravery to attack the living, but rather aims his poisoned arrows, which may win him gold, at the dead, whose only defense is their reputation and faithful friends.

The claim of absolute perfection has never been made for W. S. Stratton, but few there are whose vices are so overbalanced by virtues. To the ghouls who are attempting to curry public favor for the son by maligning the father, let me say—the people of Colorado will not accept a semblance of facts to the disparagement of the man whose life among them is a protection to his reputation, and by whose hand the state has been infinitely blessed. Proud may be the son if he prove himself one-half the man his father was.

Jas. D. Parker.

Formerly Next Door Neighbor to Stratton Family.

Attest: George Pfau,

A resident of Jeffersonville, Ind., since 1856.

ANOTHER FIRE IN THE BEAUMONT OIL FIELD

By Associated Press.

Beaumont, Texas, Oct. 19.—Fire in the oil field this morning destroyed a half dozen derricks and a settling tank. The tank exploded, inflicting such injuries on a workman named Webb that he died in a short time. The monetary loss was small.

PHILIPPINE APPROPRIATION FOR ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION

By Associated Press.

Manila, Oct. 19.—The civil government will probably increase the Philippine appropriation for the St. Louis exposition exhibit by $100,000, making the total $350,000. Fair Commissioner Barrett has addressed a meeting of Filipinos, which was arranged by Governor Taft, on the subject, and the sentiment of the meeting was in favor of the increase.

KILLED AT NEGRO FESTIVAL.

By Associated Press.

Blossom, Texas, Oct. 19.—City Marshal Bethell was killed at a negro festival here last night while trying to quell a negro riot. Three negroes were also shot by the negroes, who killed the marshal, by the negroes who killed the marshal. The shooting was done by brothers, who are still at large.

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PROGRAM FOR THE HOTEL MEN

Convention of Rocky Mountain Association to Discuss Practical Questions.

Th[illegible] el[illegible]tion of the State are making great preparations for the first annual meeting of the Rocky Mountain Hotel Men's association which occurs at the Brown Palace hotel in Denver on Thursday November 6. Nearly all of the hotel men of this city and Manitou will be present at the meeting and seven of them will send papers before the meeting. On the day of the meeting the members of the association will be entertained by J. D. Fanning at the Albany in Denver at a champagne buffet lunch and at 8:30 in the evening a banquet will be served at the Brown Palace where the sessions of the meeting will be held.

The most important topic to come before the meeting this year is the question of charging the travelling men the usual rate for hotel accommodations and the question of charging them extra for the use of sample rooms in the hotels. At the present time commercial men are given a rebate by the hotel men and the travelling men themselves use about double the space and accommodations that the other guests use especially where sample rooms are used. Another subject to be brought up is the question of asking the various western railroads to make winter rates to Colorado. Winter rates are now made by the roads to California, New Mexico and other states, but not to Colorado.

H. Jerome Toy of the Colorado Tourist and Hotel Reporter who is secretary of the association, has been working along these lines for some time, and has received much encouragement from John Sebastian of the Rock Island who may decide to inaugurate a cheap winter rate to Colorado from the eastern section and therefore do much good for the state. Following is the program for the meeting on November 6.

The following subjects have been assigned to members, named below on which to prepare a paper for the meeting:

J. D. Fanning—The Hotel Ancient and Modern.

H. H. Stevens—"The European Plan from American Point of View."

Henry Morucchi—"The European Plan from the European Point of View."

N. E. Sage—The Better Entertainment of our Guests the Tourists.

E. D. Nichols Jr.—President's Address.

E. P. Stevens—Winter Rates for Colorado.

H. D. Van Gullder—The Policy of the Association th[illegible] W[illegible]k [illegible] B[illegible] A[illegible] [illegible]lish[illegible] and the B[illegible] fits to Be Derived.

Chas. W. Mill[illegible]—[illegible] Alle[illegible] Y[illegible] Kelly [illegible] How We Should Handle the Boards Business [illegible] Best Results.

George D. Hodges—Sample Rooms for Commercial Men.

D. W. Sh[illegible]—Th[illegible] [illegible] Business Side of the Association.

Frank O'Neill—Reporting Dishonest, Incompetent and Worthless Help to the Association. How It Should Be Done.

H. Jerome Toy—The Help Question and How It Can Be Handled Advantageously.

F. X. Wardner—The Hotel Paper and Its Interest to the Hotel Fraternity.

John B. Laughl[illegible]—[illegible] Hotel and the Way to Do It.

C. J. Tyler—The [illegible] Department. Best Method of Handling It.

John A. Horabaugh—The Evolution of the Colorado Hotel.

Question 1. Should a charge be made commercial men for sample rooms. If so how should the charge be governed?

Question 2. Should not the heads of departments as well as clerks and cashiers be obliged to give bond for the honest fulfillment of their duties?

Question 3. Is it a good business policy for hotels with rates from $3 to $5 per day to oblige guests to pay for use of telephone? Should not hotels have free local telephone service for use of guests.

Question 4. A school for culinary training in Colorado, and how should we go about it?

Question 5. How can we improve our present methods in hoteling?

Question 6. Should not hotels have plainer and better cooking, eliminating useless dishes and substituting a more homelike menu?

Question 7. Are you in favor of profit sharing with loyal employes on co-operative system?

Question 8. The Meat trust and other trusts that affect the hotel.

Question 9. Are you in favor of a Hotel Men's Protective Employment bureau.

Question 10. Should not telephone booths occupying space in hotels be charged for at a higher rate?

Question 11. Should not section 1 of the act to protect hotel men which reads "with intent to defraud" be changed? the intent being at times a difficult matter to prove.

Question 12. A library for hotel cle[illegible]

To Erect a Monument in Memory of Dead Printers

It is quite likely that sometime within the next year the trustees of the Printers home will build a large monument in Evergreen cemetery to the memory of the dead union printers interred there. The matter has been talked of at different times and now an effort is being made to secure block 51 in the endowed section of the cemetery to add to the plot of ground already secured by the home. If the additional block is secured it is probable that definite steps toward the erection of the monument will be taken in the near future. The trustees have discussed the matter at different times and favor the monument.

The idea is to construct a monument of considerable size commemorative of the dead printers and also to mark distinctively the burying ground of the home. The various graves are already marked but the proposed monument is to be in the nature of a memorial. The city is perfectly willing that the home should have the block it desires and the ground would be sufficient for years to come.

The Typographical union of this city also has a number of lots of its own.

Election Guesses Coming in More Rapidly Every Day

As election day draws nearer estimates on the Gazette's gubernatorial contest continue to pour in in even greater numbers than when the contest opened. There will certainly be some interesting revelations on the judgment of people when the estimates are opened. The special prize features attract great interest and as many are hoping to gain one of them as there are who hope for the big prize.

Surprising as it may seem, there are a great many women taking part in the contest indicating that the Colorado Springs fair voter goes further in her interest in things political than the voting booth. A large number of the late estimates handed in are from ladies, and it would be rather a severe jar to the sterner sex who pride themselves being close students of the situation to have a woman walk away with the big prize. However the contest is open to all, even small children if they care to venture a guess at the result. The politicians of the city are greatly interested in the contest to see how their figuring on the result of the campaign will compare with the majority of people because it is a poor politician indeed who has not got the vote already figured out.

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All resident pastors either active or retired as well as visiting pastors together with their wives in Colorado Springs, Colorado City and Manitou are invited to be present. Those expecting to attend are requested to notify the secretary William H. Day, are Y. M. C. A. as early as possible.

Following is the program of the ministers Monday meetings for the season:

October 20, My Plans for the Winter. October 27, The Problem of Strikes, E. F. Carrington. November [illegible], Creed Revision, E. H. Lyle. November [illegible], The Distinctive Characteristics of Denominations—Baptists Edward Brats. Presbyterian W. H. W. Boyle. Methodist, C. B. Wilcox. November 17, Lutheran F. W. Pinkbiner. Congregational M. D. Ormes. Episcopalian A. N. Taft. Unitarian A. R. Scott. November [illegible], James' Varieties of Religious Experience, F. G. Lancaster. December 1, The Problem of the Divided Church, Church Union, Benjamin Brewster. December 8, Strong's The Next Great Awakening, J. C. Hight. December 15, Religious Conditions in Europe, W. F. Slocum. December 22, Political Teachings from the Pulpit, J. A. Haycraft. January 5, Coming Methods in Revivals, J. Neely. January 12, The Influence of Biblical and Literary Criticism on Bible Study, James B. Gregg. January 19, Horace Bushnell, A. K. Powell. January 26, The Ethics of Guessing and Prizes Offered by Stores and Other Business Enterprises, William F. Gladden. February [illegible], Fairbairn's Philosophy of Christianity, W. H. W. Boyle. February 9, May a Man Use His Wealth or Any Other Possession as He Pleases? Ralph C. Byers. February 16, The Transient and the Permanent Elements in Religion, E. A. DuBois. February 23, The Psychic Basis of Religion, A. R. Scott. March [illegible], Economic Aspects of the Liquor Problem, Committee of Fifth. A. A. Burleigh. March 9, paper (subject to be announced) Edw. S. Parsons. March 16, Some Present Dangers to Religion Progress in Our Own City, W. H. Day. March 23, "Prof. King's Reconstruction in Theology," C. B. Wilcox. March 30, The Future of the Prayer Meeting, G. E. Youngdahl. April 6, "The Outlook of Foreign Mission Work. Smith's China in Convulsion," W. H. Lathe. April 13, The Need of Trained Sunday School Teachers and Workers, Duncan Lamont. April 20, What Suggestions can the Church Make for Wholesome Use of Sunday for all Classes of Busy People? J. C. Rawlings. April 27, The Theological Seminary of the Future, J. O. Paisley. May 4, Religious Problems of the West, W. G. Templeton.

The meetings are held at 1:45 p. m. and all pastors either resident or visiting are invited to attend the sessions.

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B. F. McCahill of Fall River, Mass. is stopping at the Plaza.

Mr. F. M. Kaufman has gone to St. Joseph on business.

Arthur Smith of London, England, is spending a few days at the Spaulding house.

F. A. [illegible] left this morning for Libart where he has a large painting contract.

[illegible] Kalamazoo, Mich. [illegible] stopping at the Spaulding.

J. J. Hayes and company of attachmen of Manitou are stopping at the Spaulding.

[illegible] Milwaukee [illegible] she will [illegible] for a few weeks.

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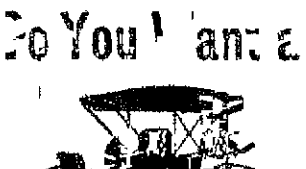
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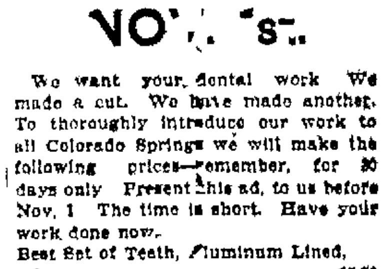
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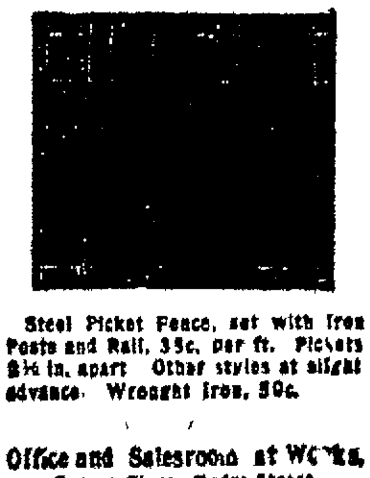
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REGULAR TROOPS IN CAMP THE STAR ATTRACTION TODAY

Dusty and travel-stained but sitting their horses as erect as though ready to go into a charge troop H of the Fourteenth cavalry marched into Colorado Springs shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon They were the objects of great attention from the moment they struck the city limits until they had reached their camping grounds at Broadmoor The troopers were dressed in ordinary campaign uniform as they rode into the city They had all discarded their coats and wore their blue shirts Their tan leggings and campaign hats lopped in a score of different shapes gave them a war-worn appearance while their booted carbines revolvers and cartridge belts added to the business-like look

The horses are a hardy looking set but showed the effects of travel The day of the solid color horse troops has gone by and the animals which the troopers bestride are not uniform color Captain Adams rode at the head of his men followed by the troop bugler The men rode in column of twos and the troop guidon was unfurled to the breeze The little band looked as though they were on a hard scouting campaign instead of a pleasure trip

Following the horsemen came a couple of pack mules whose desire to browse on the wayside lawns was cut short by the urgings of a husky cavalryman Then came a couple of big army wagons drawn by four mules each and loaded to the guards with the equipment of the troopers

The troop marched through the city to Broadmoor and pitched camp on the plot of ground near the Country club polo grounds, the site being well adapted for their purposes Tents were thrown up in a remarkably short time and the troopers had settled down to the routine of camp life for the next 10 days They will spend the time as though in the field on actual campaign duty and the trip is expected to be of much benefit to them from an educational standpoint. There will be guard duty and drilling every day and instruction in field work However there will be some little pleasure for the men thrown in and the trip is looked on as a vacation

The troop is stationed at Fort Logan and left there on the march to Colorado Springs last Thursday They made the ordinary day's march every day which they would make it on campaign duty, and took it by easy stages All along the route they attracted a great deal of attention Captain Adams, who commands the troop is an officer of experience and is highly popular among his men

Today the camp will be open to visitors and it is expected that there will be hundreds out to see the soldiers at work although as in other walks of life the Sabbath is a day off in the army for almost everybody The camp presents a very neat appearance as viewed from a distance and the soldiers will be settled down today so that it will look even better

The youth of the majority of the troopers was greatly remarked upon yesterday It is however like the great majority of the companies and troops belonging to the new regiments organized under the new army bill the Fourteenth being one It drew on the younger element for its members and while there are of course many old timers to be found they are greatly in the minority It is a troop of smooth shaven youngsters who look as though they would do business on the firing line along with the veterans if need be.

FRANCES CALE WANTS BIG DAMAGES FROM SPRINGS MAN

Brings Suit for Breach of Promise Against Lorenzo Bennett for $75,000---Plaintiff a Well-Known and Highly Esteemed Pueblo Girl.

Frances M Cale a prominent young lady of Pueblo yesterday filed suit in the district court against Lorenzo Bennett a well known resident of Colorado Springs and heavy property holder of this city for $75,000 damages for alleged breach of promise

Attorney John K. Vanatta attorney for Miss Cale filed the papers

Miss Cale has lived in Pueblo for a number of years and is well known in the circles in which she moves She has been working for some time past as a clerk in Mock Brothers dry goods store at that place and lives with her brother and sister The former is employed in the Pueblo city health commissioner's office

Mr Bennett the defendant is said to be worth several hundred thousand dollars He and his brother L L Bennett, own a large amount of valuable property in different parts of the city some of which is located in the business section between Pike's Peak avenue and Kiowa on Tejon He has lived here for years

The complaint is brief It alleges that on October 20 1898 the defendant promised to marry the plaintiff the proposal taking place at Pueblo and that they then and there mutually agreed to marry each other No time for the wedding was set then according to the complaint but afterwards the time was set by the defendant to be a reasonable period after the death of his mother or should his mother remove to her old homestead in Ohio the wedding was to take place a short time thereafter The plaintiff states that she has remained unmarried and has discouraged other suitors [illegible] upon the promise of the defendant and his encouraging him to carry out his agreement [illegible] that the mother of the [illegible] [illegible] has repudiated his contract [illegible] to marry the plaintiff She therefore asks $75,000 damages

The dates on the papers [illegible] that they were issued early this month and that the summons was [illegible] about October 10 being left with the brother of the defendant F L Bennett No record was made of the papers however until yesterday

Miss Cale has been in the city for the past few days but left for her home in Pueblo yesterday She had been staying with friends on East Huerfano street Her brother was interviewed in Pueblo last evening and he stated that the suit has been contemplated for some time He said that the family had talked the matter over and had decided that the defendant should marry Miss Cale He further stated that the defendant is assessed at $84,000 on his property

The amount of damage asked for in the case is the largest [illegible] breach of promise suit ever brought in the state the famous Nellie Lewis suit against the late Sam Strong being about the next largest Miss Cale is said to be about 40 or 45 years old and is rather an attractive looking young lady In Pueblo she is held in high esteem

EXPECT CASE TO GO TO HEARING

Judge Seeds is expected to be in the city on Thursday October 23 to hear the administratorship feature of the Stratton will case There have been no new developments in the famous case for the past week or so, but it is believed that there will be before Thursday. The expected resignation of the administrators to collect has not materialized

The attorneys state that they expect the case to go to a hearing Thursday under the writ of certiorari

MUSICAL AT CITY CHURCHES TODAY

The audiences at the services of the Men's Sunday Evening club are testing the seating capacity of the church, drawn there by their choice and selected musical programs and the short and helpful sermons of the pastor

Last Sunday evening the church was packed and the attractive program for this evening will no doubt fill all the additional seats that have been provided so that no one will be obliged to stand during the services

Among the interesting numbers on the program is a violin solo The Virgin's Last Slumber,' by Miss Beulah Whaite, who has just recently returned from the New England Conservatory of Music where she has been pursuing her musical studies during the past year

Miss Whaite has returned home an accomplished artist not only as a soloist for her qualifications for teaching cover a wide range including a true sense of pitch mastery of technique, perfection of style beauty of tone production and poetic interpretation Her playing evinces an artistic nature in the highest degree

Mrs W A Bennie a new comer to our city, will sing My Redeemer and My Lord' a soprano solo by Buck Mrs Bennie has natural musical gifts both as a singer and teacher and her solo work this evening will be greatly enjoyed

The following program has been arranged by the club

Orchestra—Voluntary . . . . West
Contralto Solo with Quartet—"An Even Song' . . . . Shelley
Miss Lane.
Hymn—"I Need Thee Every Hour
Violin Solo—"The Virgin's Last Slumber' . . . . . . Massenet
Miss Whaite
Sermon by Rev. C L Hyde. . . . .
Soprano Solo—"My Redeemer and My Lord" . . . . Buck
Mrs. W A. Bennie
Hymn—"My Soul Be on Thy Guard"
Postlude—Orchestra—"Cujus Animum" . . . . Rossini

Music to be rendered at Grace church Sunday, Oct 19, 1902.
Morning service
Prelude, Alexander Guilmant.
Processional hymn 386 "Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,' E J Hopkins
"Te Deum in F," McCartney
"Jubilate Deo in E flat," E J. Hopkins.
Anthem, "O Lord How Manifold," Barnby
Recessional Hymn 432 "Love Divine all Love Excelling," C. D Sears,
Postlude, Th Stern
Evening service
Prelude, Flagler
Processional hymn 385, "Holy, Holy, Holy Lord," E J Hopkins
"Magnificat and Nunc Dimitis in E flat," Westerfield.
Anthem, "The Radiant Morn ' Woodward
Sevenfold amen
Recessional hymn, 432, 'Love Divine all Love Excelling," C. D Sears
Postlude, Guilmant,

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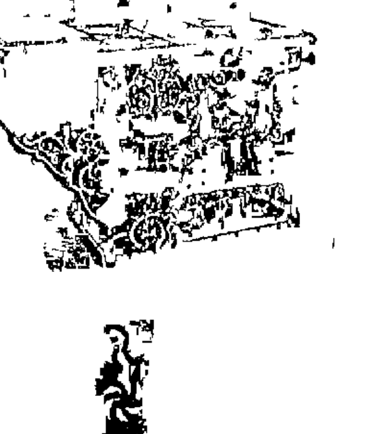
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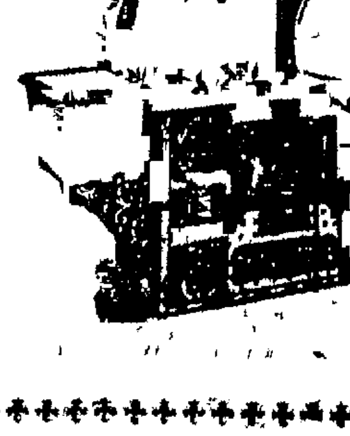
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PUEBLO REPORTS TWO [illegible] SHOOTINGS

Negroes Quarreled and One Was Seriously Wounded—Ranchmen in an Altercation.

Pueblo Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette.
With Colorado Securities Company.

Pueblo Oct 19—At about daybreak this morning Tom Davis, a negro was shot on Lower Santa Fe avenue, by another negro named Leo Bedford The men had been drinking heavily and quarreled over a woman Captain Hell had Bedford in jail in a few moments after the shooting, and the injured man was taken to the hospital It is thought that Davis will die, as he is shot in three places in the center of the breast in the head and in the shoulder

SHOOTING ON A RANCH—At noon today an old man named Jackson Reeves was shot by a man named J Garner at a ranch northeast of town about five miles where both reside The bullet which was a 38 caliber passed through the fleshy part of Reeves thigh He was then beaten into insensibility by his assailant who pounded him over the head with his gun The injured man is in the Pueblo hospital but Garner cannot be found though the sheriff's officers have been searching for him ever since It was rumored that he had come to town and given himself up but so far the officers have been unable to find him It is said that he is under cover and well armed and does not propose to be captured alive It seems that the men quarreled over the feeding of some live stock and Garner's wife states that the old man attacked her husband with a knife

INGENIOUS BURGLAR—A new plan for a burglar to adopt was tried at 1210 West Thirteenth street at 8 30 tonight The first thing that happened was a rock thrown through the window The man who resides in the house was sick but telephoned police headquarters that he was unable to get out of bed In a few moments and before the officer arrived another stone was thrown through the window Next the burglar came to the hole in the window and reached in through the hole to unlock the door The supposition is that his idea was to ascertain if anyone was in the house and as the sick man made no response he thought that he was safe in unlocking the door An officer was dispatched to the scene, but the burglar escaped.

GERMAN EPWORTH LEAGUE.

By Associated Press

St Louis, Oct 18—The ninth biennial convention of the National German Epworth league, which was begun Thursday, ended tonight with a mass meeting at Salem church. Before adjourning the following officers were elected for the ensuing two years

President Dr F Munz secretary Dr E S Hovighorst treasurer H. C Dickhaut vice presidents California, W. C Schmutzler, North Pacific H F Lange

A CRIPPLE CREEK TEAMSTER INJURED

Thomas Lively and John Morrison Drove Off the Road—Lively May Die.

Cripple Creek Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Cripple Creek Oct 19—In an accident on Carbonate hill this afternoon Thomas Lively a teamster 24 years of age employed in Abbott's outfit was dangerously injured Lively and another young man named John Morrison had been up on Carbonate hill during the day and were returning to the city with a load of poles when the accident happened The two men had a keg of whisky and it is stated that they became intoxicated At any rate they drove the wagon off the narrow mountain road The wagon was heavily loaded with timbers and turned over two or three times throwing the young men violently to the ground Passersby found the two men unconscious and securing a wagon brought them to the hospital in this city where Dr Cunningham attended them Lively is suffering from concussion of the brain and internal injuries Morrison is badly bruised but it is stated is not seriously injured

REPUBLICAN RALLY—H M Hogg the Republican nominee for congress from the second district will be the principal speaker at a rally to be held at the Grand Opera house tomorrow night F P Costigan of Denver a candidate for the state legislature from Arapahoe county will also address the audience The two speakers will appear at the Victor Opera house on Tuesday night

WRESTLING MATCH—In a wrestling match at Elkton this evening Oscar Harding defeated George Strange for a purse of $101 Harding is a miner employed at the Elkton property Strange works at the El Paso The two men wrestled English side hold style and Harding threw Strange for two straight falls Three or four hundred people witnessed the bout

DEMOCRATS AT VICTOR—L Stimson Democratic nominee for governor Lem J Smith and J J Sullivan will address the voters of Victor tomorrow night at the Victor Opera house The speakers will appear in this city on Tuesday night

DR MAGRUDER RETURNED—Dr A C Magruder a well-known physician of this city has just returned from an extended visit in the east

CHAPPELLE AT GENOA

By Associated Press

Genoa, Oct. 19.—Archbishop Chappelle reached here today from the United States and proceeded for Rome

CHEAP RATES

Over Rio Grande railroad every day in September and October Helena Butte and Anaconda, $20 00, Spokane $22 50 Portland Tacoma, Seattle, Vancouver, $25 00, San Francisco and Los Angeles $25 00.

REPUBLICAN TICKET

For Congressman at Large	Franklin E Brooks of El Paso
For Congressman First District	Robert W Bonynge
For Congressman Second District	Herschel M Hogg of San Miguel
For Governor	James H Peabody of Fremont
For Lieutenant Governor	Warren A Haggott of Clear Creek
For Secretary of State	James Cowie of Boulder
For Auditor	John A Holmberg of Denver
For Treasurer	Whitney Newton of Pueblo
For Attorney General	N C Miller of La Plata
For Superintendent of Schools	Mrs Anna B Brandt of Teller
For Regents	O J Pfeiffer and W J King
For State Senator Twenty-eighth District	Arthur Cornforth of Colorado Springs
For State Senator Third District	James Owen of Cripple Creek

For Representatives to Fourteenth General Assembly Cyrus W Davis El Paso I L Aitken El Paso John D Stephen El Paso Frank G Frewen Teller Charles M Kinney Teller John A McLeod Teller

For County Commissioner El Paso County	Clark W Long
For Justice of the Peace	J J McClelland
For Constable	J W Ratcliff

THAT FISH CASE

The [illegible] the people of Colorado vs Perry R Lind charged with fishing in [illegible] without [illegible] owner [illegible] afternoon [illegible] McD Hammond [illegible] appear [illegible] the [illegible] and Deputy District Attorney M Dougal and Brown & Nouns [illegible] prosecute the case McDougal however did not appear [illegible] some [illegible] political reasons he was [illegible] during the testimony and [illegible] Judge [illegible] Orlington ruled in favor of the [illegible] fining Ruand $10 and costs

This case has attracted much attention as it is supposed to involve certain fishing rights The property owners [illegible] first contest with the sportsmen [illegible] sides are deeply interested and the case will be taken to the higher courts.—(Gunnison Republican

ELEVEN MEN KILLED IN RACE RIOT IN ALABAMA

By Associated Press

Birmingham Ala Oct 19—Three white men and eight negroes are reported to have been killed in a race riot at Littleton Ala a small town 25 miles southwest of this city tonight The number of wounded has not yet been ascertained

A posse including Sheriff Andrew W Burgin and a deputy left for the scene of the riot at 11 o'clock tonight The riot is said to have been caused by a crowd of negroes attacking a white woman who was passing over a railroad bridge en route from a visit to a neighbor to her home As soon as the white citizens of the town learned of the attack they began to search for the woman's assailants and armed themselves to protect their leaders When the posse arrived the negroes opened fire killing three of the officers The deputies returned the fire killing eight negroes

Owing to the large number of negroes the posse was forced to retreat The negroes are reported to be in complete possession of the town and have entrenched themselves The negroes have captured a powder magazine the property of a coal company and are strongly fortified

AN AUSTRIAN BILL FOR COMBATTING DRUNKENNESS

By Associated Press
Vienna Oct 19—The [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] which is being prepared [illegible] Austrian government [illegible] the first measure of its kind in the history of Austria [illegible] one of the strong [illegible] public [illegible] for the [illegible] persons found [illegible] public [illegible] of this within [illegible] and restrict the sale of [illegible] spirits which it is declared [illegible] to home drinking [illegible] special licenses Only [illegible] licenses to be granted for [illegible] 500 inhabitants

RICHARD B. M'COY

By Associated Press
Baltimore Oct 19—Richard B McCoy is dead at his home in [illegible] Harford county aged 81 years Mr McCoy was a member of the Maryland legislature which met [illegible] in 1861 to pass upon the [illegible] state rights He was a strong [illegible] Unionist but [illegible] to negro suffrage He was one of a party who [illegible] with President Lincoln [illegible] the night preceding [illegible] inauguration

BRITISH STEAMSHIP SERVICE

By Associated Press
London Oct 19—In a [illegible] to a question [illegible] in parliament Gerald Balfour president of the board of trade promised to submit the government's agreement with the Cunard Steamship and the International Mercantile Marine company as soon as possible It is said that steamship service between Boston and Manchester under the International Mercantile company will be started in a few weeks by the Leyland line

REPUBLICANS REGISTER.

Here is what the Democratic Denver Post has to say about **Democratic Registration Frauds in Denver.**

OPEN AND BAREFACED REGISTRATION FRAUDS.

Democrats Pursuing a Shameless Course in Stuffing the Register—Evidence Being Gathered by Republicans

(From the Denver Post Friday, October 17)

The penitentiary doors are yawning for the men responsible for the outrageous registration frauds that have for three days past been bringing public disgrace on the city of Denver

The party that allows such infamies as have been practiced at the district registration booths is the party in power and the party that has been making such an active campaign for the support of the decent law abiding citizens of the community on election day In nearly every district of the city the registration lists have been padded as they were never padded before Hoboes and members of the criminal element have been registered under assumed names in one district and then hauled to another district where they are again registered under names selected for them by the Democratic registration bureau of fraud Republican watchers have been forcibly ejected from the vicinity of the booths

Men and women conveyed to the booths in Republican carriages have been refused their right of franchise on all sorts of trumped up excuses

The Democratic party controls the police department and the sheriff's office and has a large majority of the registration officers No other party could commit frauds if it wanted to and every party or individual is powerless to prevent them with the machinery entirely in Democratic hands at this time

The trouble for the guilty will come later, however The small fry of the police and fire departments are doing the dirty work but Frank Adams is back of them and they are but carrying out his instructions

R W Speer has charge of the corruption fund that is being used to pay men to do crooked work and his hirelings on the board of public works are standing by and seeing that his orders are obeyed

Nobody in Denver is fool enough to believe that there are four times as many Democrats as Republicans in this city

Yet the district registration figures as given out daily by the Democratic headquarters show that the Democrats are registering four people to the Republicans one

These figures if there was no other evidence in sight ought to be enough to prove the rottenness of the Democratic system of making voters

In districts H and F, which take in the tenderloin the violations of the election law have been particularly flagrant

Yesterday in H Sullivan's and Higgins districts the Democratic clerks registered hoboes two and three times under different names

The Republican watchers who protested were jostled away from the place, and policemen in citizens clothes threatened to throw them in jail The same hoboes were hauled to districts F and G and registered there In F the returns show that over 600 were registered yesterday and 448 the day before

By the most rapid work on the part of the clerks it is impossible to register more than 276 people in the nine hours in which the booths are open This proves that padding goes on to a large extent after the booths are closed.

Among the evidence which the Republican watchers have in their possession is one affidavit which says that Frank Plummer a saloonkeeper at Nineteenth and Market streets in district H registered in district A under the name of John Walters and that he registered eight hoboes who were not residents of the district

In district A the total names on the books for the day at the close of business yesterday was 150 The list given out for publication by the county clerk showed that 252 persons were registered in district A yesterday

These are mere samples of the glaring outrages Today and tomorrow will be the record breaking fraud days, and when, also the evidence will be collected that may make business for the courts.

To offset these desperate last efforts of the Denver Tammany gang, honest Republican and Independent voters throughout the state should make certain that they are in a position to cast their votes against the Democratic gang and the party which it controls.

Today Monday is **LAST DAY for Colorado Springs Registration;** Registration Day in Ivywild and other county precinct **REGISTER TODAY.**

[illegible] New York [illegible]

(John Marthol)

New York, Oct 18—There is probably no man in the world who is more talked about than J Pierpont Morgan and there is probably no man who is so little known His prestige in the world of finance his power in industrial life has placed him in a position so exalted that crowned kings are his inferiors in influence It was once said that the peace of Europe depended upon the will of the Rothschilds Kings courted the friendship of the money lender of Frankfort Today no corporate enterprise of the first magnitude can be undertaken with a reasonable promise of success without the consent of Morgan In the working out of things it has come to pass that the balance of trade is held in the scales which are adjusted by Morgan This enormous power has come to him as a voluntary recognition of those who control individual properties that Mr. Morgan has a genius for management, for organization for accomplishing results he is known to be wholly honest, to be relied upon to be trusted. He enjoys the confidence of those who have money which they desire used and the confidence of those who desire to use it. His career has been that of a builder, not a destroyer. No wrecked properties no destroyed individuals lie dead or gasping in the throes of death along his path of life He inherited fortune position in finance and station in society His genius for reorganization showed itself 20 years ago when one railroad after another went through critical times. They passed into his hands financial wrecks and came out valuable properties. Not 20 years ago in the same residence he now occupies on Madison avenue, all the railroad presidents of the east met and arranged traffic differences. In his career as a banker Pierpont Morgan has been an enormous power as a reconstructionist, as a builder, as a man of progress Thousands of men and women today enjoy incomes from safe and profitable investments which at one time were in serious peril, hundreds of thousands of men enjoy good and promptly paid wages in employments that were in peril. They do not know that incomes and wages are due to the genius of Morgan Wall street is quick to find a weak spot in a man's character and quicker at it to fling a barbed shaft at a vulnerable spot. Few strong, commanding figures in the world are without assailants. Mr. Morgan is a strange exception. He is never known to have practiced deception He is brusquely frank He could not lie if he wanted to His spoken word is better than the written agreements of nine out of ten men He never did a mean thing, he never did a dirty thing, he never wrecked a man's life or destroyed a man's property. He never crushed with his power. He is a stern incarnation of justice. In his private life he is a modest living cultivated gentleman. There is no splurge, bluster and flutter about Mr. Morgan or his family His tastes are simple, his enjoyments equally so, Around him many live a popinjay existence, but Mr. Morgan is the New Englander still, eating corned beef and cabbage as his favorite Sunday dinner dish.

In his home life he is simple and unaffected, loving the chat of his children's friends On his yacht he is the quiet, unassuming gentleman a good sportsman and excellent host Money is not a lust I doubt very much if Mr Morgan knows how much he is worth or cares. I do not believe he estimates wealth as highly desirable or particularly enjoys the possession of it He has always been very rich He is active by nature his vast plans and interests are not entered into for personal gain They merely afford a theater of action for his energy He is liberal to prodigality with his associates to his employes and those who interest him He is interesting as the greatest figure the world has ever seen in industrial life and industrial life is the distinguishing and characterizing faction of the present civilization

In our latter day development a university president and a parish priest are measured not by the work done in instructing youth or exhorting sinners to turn from their wickedness but by their skill as money collectors Columbia's new president clamors for the modest sum of ten millions. He says in plainest language, Columbia in 1902 is without adequate grounds and buildings and without sufficient income to care properly for the work that has already been undertaken even if not a single extension of the work now in progress be planned He then says

"Of this $10 000 000 when given, $4 000 000 should be used to pay the existing debt; $2 000 000 to accept the option to purchase the property immediately south of the present site on Morganside Heights before July 1 1903 $500 000 to build and equip a college hall $1,000 000 to complete and equip University hall $400 000 to build and equip a law school building $400 000 to build and equip a building to give accommodations to departments now overcrowded or temporarily assigned to the library and for general university purposes including provision for the most pressing needs of the Schools of Applied Science and of Medicine $2 700 000 should be expended"

Travel on the streets has become perilous At no time in the city's history has the crossings of the main thoroughfares been so attended with risk to life or limb The electric cars are dangerous enough, but the swift circling rubber tired automobiles are more so Not a day goes by but the ambulance is summoned to remove victims Broadway, in the theater district, after the theaters close or when they open their doors, is thronged with electric cars automobiles and high strung horses The clang of the bells, and the prancing of horses makes endless confusion. Such accidents as befell Mr and Mrs Morse, who in a hansom cab escaped death by a hair's breadth are common occurrences. Their cab was literally crushed in about them as though it were a pine box. They had to be removed by dragging them through a hole in the roof.

The litigation brought about to restrain the United States Steel Corporation from substituting $200 000,000 of bonds for preferred stock has come to an end by a decision handed down by the court of errors and appeals. The contention of Meriam Berger who sought to restrain the corporation his been swept aside and the rights of the corporation to proceed on the lines it proposed fully established Suit after suit has failed and the corporation acting within the scope of its lawful rights will now in all probability convert its preferred stock into bonds Investors have been waiting for the decision The management has proven its ability to earn over $100 000 000 a year which it can apportion to the payment of dividends and its bonds and stocks will be [illegible] sought by investors

There was always [illegible] tinge of mystery about Claudine She was well known in this city among our artists by reputation and by her photographs Ah well poor little Claudine is dead Claudine was one of the most famous models in Paris and counted scores of friends especially among the artists of Montmartre where she lived and worked She was only 19 She was tall blonde and very beautiful It was rumored that she came from an excellent family but her identity was never discovered This week she was found dead with a bottle of poison at her side She had fallen ill and became despondent

In consequence of the coal famine the various methods of securing heat from gas oil and wood, are being much considered and discussed Few persons have been aware of the extent to which oil is used as fuel It now dawns upon the people who live on the Atlantic's seaboard that oil is extensively used in the west Mr Edward H Harriman president of the Southern Pacific company recently called attention to a saving to be effected on the Southern Pacific system in the matter of fuel With engines operated by oil such as the company is now building something like four millions of dollars will be saved annually During the year 1901 the company expended for coal about seven and a half millions of dollars Oil stoves are in great demand in this city and the improved patterns are safe and give no odors It would not be strange if the result of the coal famine would be to greatly increase the consumption of oil for heating lighting and cooking purposes

Alfred Henry Lewis is a journalist who has won his spurs His recent attack on David B Hill caused a profound sensation Lewis is a master in the art of attack He collects his facts arranges them and delivers them with the effectiveness of a battery of quick fire artillery His weekly publication The Onlooker is small but it is widely read It is not the size but the contents that commends it to its thousands of readers Many a telling blow has been delivered by this small and neatly printed pocket publication

Republican politicians throughout the state who went to the last Saratoga convention in many instances heard of George R Sheldon for the first time They were surprised with his strength in the New York county delegation, and by the hostility of Kings county led by Tim Woodruff Since then they have made many inquiries, and they have learned why Woodruff was fearful of Sheldon's preferment Woodruff has known Sheldon for years He knows his sterling worth, his great abilities, his devotion to his party. He knew that the quiet, tactful man of business had a faculty for making strong friends He knew that if Sheldon became lieutenant governor of the state he would soon sink into obscurity But Woodruff's resistance [illegible] manager policy resulted in [illegible] ing the full glare of publicity on Sheldon He went to Saratoga unknown he returned one of the most distinguished Republicans In the [illegible] The senatorial shoes for which Tim Woodruff has been preparing the feet will with little doubt be handed to Sheldon with Senator Platt's kindest regards and Governor Odell's best wishes

It is [illegible] the [illegible] word in relation to [illegible] the coal famine Even though the powerful influences of Mr Morgan the coal operators are less like the [illegible] oths of old it is doubtful [illegible] the mines can give enough coal to meet the wants of the people When fuel is scarce food is lean and the tempers of men usually peaceful [illegible] turned by cold and hunger and [illegible] nous growls are heard [illegible] their only submission [illegible] olution never began [illegible]

It is [illegible] that the Democratic party in this city is still controlled by the worst element in Tammany Hall The survival has not been of the fittest Murphy the ostensible head of the organization is in fact but a puppet The strings that move him are in the powerful hands of Senator Tim Sullivan Those Democrats who looked for one to find in the college president a man equal to the task in District Attorney Jerome a man brilliant in promise willing in heart and brain but limited in performance And so they little know what to do The Sheehan organization comes cap in hand soliciting votes Every Democrat who gives his vote to a Sheehan candidate feels that he is throwing it away It will serve to assist in lowering Democratic majorities or possibly in defeating a Tammany candidate At the same time it is destroying a vote for Democratic principles Many Democrats are so hopeful of a Democratic victory that they will hesitate to weaken the chances of their party by casting their vote against Tammany New York and Kings county will give heavy Democratic majorities and Tammany with a infamous crew in charge of the ship will sail into port and loot the town

Apropos of metropolitan police reformation the idea is entertained by certain high military officers in the Borough of Brooklyn that the only effective way to accomplish it is to ask the war department for the loan of 10 20 or 30 regular army officers and put them in the chief offices of command The advocates of this proposed remedy claim that if this were done the police administration would soon be most sound where it is now most rotten that is at the top that politics would be eliminated from the department and that it would be conducted as it should be on a strict military basis It is not impossible that the scheme will soon become the subject of public agitation and that very powerful influences will be found rallying to its support. It would be an interesting experiment in municipal administration but not a new one, even in this country, as the Washington government shows which is at least under one-third military rule that is, one of its three commissioners, who are supreme in everything is a military officer on the active, not the retired list,

A BRITISH VIEW OF AMERICAN SHIPPING

(London Investors Chronicle)

Even the mighty Atlantic shipping combine cannot restore the American flag to the seas Mr Morgan may buy all the world's fleets but the Stars and Stripes will still be a curiosity in foreign ports Mr Clement A Griscom Jr the manager of the American line told me in a recent conversation that his company was weary of struggling unaided against foreign competition and that it might be compelled to seek English registry for its Atlantic fleet Sentiment does not pay dividends During the 10 years that the American line has carried the republic's flag it has never earned a penny for its ordinary shares although its ships have been pushed to the limit, making six voyages to four of rival lines Only very recently have dividends been paid on the preferred shares Profit destroying patriotism in commerce is unattractive Millions of American capital are seeking investment in the four corners of the earth but not a penny in American shipping

The crews of American ships are paid the highest wages on the seas High wages play havoc with earnings Compare for example the steamships Lucania and St Paul The wages of the crew on the American ship are nearly £700 higher a month than on the Cunarder The bit of bunting the St Paul flies from her taffrail costs £8 000 a year If the American line ships were transferred to English registry there would be a saving in wages of £40 000 a year This would be 4 per cent. on the company's ordinary shares In American manufacturing industries high wages are not a tax on invested capital because of the use of labor saving machinery and the superior productive power of the American workman but a ship's crew is a ship's crew, whether it is raised in San Francisco or Copenhagen

Two new 12,000 ton ships have recently been added to the American line's Antwerp service One the Kroonland was built in an American yard and flies the American flag, the other, the Zeeland built on the Clyde, has English register They are sister ships, doing the same work on the same route, but the wages account runs £500 higher a month on the American than on the English ship Mr Griscom told me as illustrative of the strange state of affairs, that he had to raise a chief engineer's pay £12 a year before he could transfer him from the Zeeland to the Kroonland.

Not only do American ships cost more to run but they cost more to build This is an industrial anomaly Shipbuilding is the one great industry in which America has not been able to compete with Europe, despite the fact that her shipyards have unequaled equipments of the best labor saving machinery and advantage of cheap raw material But the cheapening of production in America has been the result largely of multiple manufacture. Parts of shoes, typewriters, locomotives are quickly made by automatic machines with a minimum of human supervision But you cannot grind ocean liners out of a hopper American ship owners are compelled to place orders for ships abroad The Atlantic Transport line recently had four new ships built—two in Belfast and two in Philadelphia The American built ships cost £350 000 each while the Belfast contracts were made at £252,000 Smaller vessels building in the same line cost £100 000 in this country and £150 000 in America Mr Cramp the builder of the St. Paul and St Louis, places the cost of American built ships from 30 to 40 per cent. above foreign prices,

America once held a commanding position on the seas, but she has never recovered from the devastating blight of the civil war. She is ambitious to regain her lost prestige She is invading the markets of the world—in foreign bottoms Senator Frye the president of the United States senate, is authority for the statement that the country pays £100 000 a day to foreign ships for carrying American products This cuts £36 500 000 a year out of the visible "balance of trade," about which there is so much unreasonable boasting across the water. Last year in the trade between Europe and the United States not one American vessel came to or went from Germany, Russia Sweden, Norway Denmark, the Netherlands Italy, Austria Hungary, Greece or Turkey. The record of grain clearances from New York in one year showed over 1 200 ships laden with American produce sailing for foreign ports and only seven under the American flag This is a ridiculous state of affairs for a nation which, with thousands of miles of seacoast, is reaching out for the mastery of the world's trade Americans recognize this with deep chagrin While American shipbuilding has been developing rapidly of late the activity has been entirely internal The total output of iron and steel ships for the foreign trade does not equal that of a small English yard

Ten years ago the English built Inman liners New York and Paris were admitted to American registry by a special act of the American congress, which stipulated that two ships of equal tonnage should be built in America, It was believed that this step marked the restoration of the flag to the seas Mr Harrison, then president of the United States in raising the national colors on the New York said that he had felt the mortification that every American must feel who examined into the country's standing in the world's merchant marine. He predicted that this ship would be the precursor of many others to fly the flag But in 10 years while the nation's foreign trade has developed prodigiously, its carrying trade has been dormant.

American shipping interests demand government aid to make it profitable to sail American ships under the American flag. They assert that this is the only way in which the flag can be restored to the seas" Last winter a desperate fight was waged in Washington over the subsidy bill drawn up by Senator Frye. Senator Hanna, as the leader of the dominant party, led a vigorous campaign in its behalf, but so bitter was the opposition of the western legislators to any grant of treasury funds for private interests that the bill had to be withdrawn The fight for shipping subsidies has been going on for years, but the opposition is ever vigilant. This winter a more determined effort will be made by Senator Hanna to force the legislation through congress

Frank H. Fayant,

"Josiah Allen's Wife" Goes Visiting.

There was a crumpled, soiled table cloth hangin' onevenly on a broken-legged table propped up by a book on one side I looked at the book and I see that it wuz The Search for the Beautiful and I knowed that it could never find it there Some showy, decorated dishes, nicked and cracked, held our repast—thick slices of heavy indigestible bread, some cake fallen as flat as Babylon (you know the him states "Babylon is fallen, fallen fallen, Babylon is fallen to rise no more"), some dyspeptic lookin', watery potatoes and cold, livid slices of tough beef some canned berries that had worked, the only steddy workers, I judged, that had been round, some tea made with luke-warm water. Such wuz our fare, enlivened by the presence of three of the worst-actin' and worst-lookin' children I ever see in my life, clamberin', disputin, sassy little demons, reachin' acrost the table for everything they wanted, sassin their Ma and makin' up faces at us sarahuptishusly, but I ketched em at it. The girl with the noorallgy waited on the table, her dress hadn't been changed but a mussy lookin' muslin cap wus perched on top of the yaller flannel and a equally crumpled, soiled, white muslin apron surmounted her dress, style bein maintained by these two objects.—(Lippincott's Magazine for October,

Hark! From the hills there floats the mellow winding of a horn. Far across the valleys its silver music rings, and lo! October enters Beautiful charm, a more mature beauty, a sweeter serenity, a winsomeness lacking in her sister months. Her mantle is of many colors scarlet and yellow toned down by golden browns and dull crimsons Many a ragged rent is there, but with every tatter fluttering a gay salute they are forgotten in the splendor of the whole. No mighty choir of feathered spirits greets her entrance and wanting are the garlands of the summer. No flower-strewn paths await her coming, but the crisp brown grass crackles beneath her step, leaves of gold and scarlet are caught in her tresses and the clear melodious whistle of the quail gives her greeting. In brown serried ranks the corn shocks stand. In glowing piles the pumpkins pledge her golden bounty. The fragrance of ripe fruit hangs over the orchard. High above her head she elevates her horn of plenty that he who will may have—(F. ..) Country Life in America.

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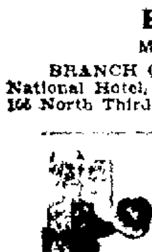
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EXTENSIVE DEVELOPMENT IN CUSTER COUNTY.

Mining operations adjacent to the city of Custer are assuming that stage of development when important strikes are looked for every day in the week and when the dawn of another day may open to the world another and far greater mining district than the over-advertised camp of Cripple Creek. The energy being instilled into the district by recent discoveries in old workings has stimulated development, and new ground is being opened up, which any day may reward the prospector for all his work. The time is close at hand when Custer county will regain her lost prestige and rank among the greatest mineral producing sections of the state.

Active work has been begun on the Hector and the force now employed will be steadily increased as occasion requires. It is the intention of the management to extract a carload of ore as soon as possible simply to illustrate the fact to the outside world that the Hector can produce a high grade ore in plenty of it. Samples of the ore previously tested give returns that run from an ounce and a half to two ounces in gold to the ton.

Barry and Burnett, who are driving a tunnel on the Wadsworth group on Pringle hill are up 125 feet and have run a crosscut to cut a vein which gives returns of 74 per cent lead and 80 ounces silver to the ton.

The work of building the new shaft house on the Toledo mill is being pushed with all possible speed. Mr. George Raymond the manager of the property has a large force of men at work framing the timbers and the structure will soon begin to loom skyward.

Edward Henry has secured an interest in the Merrimac which was formerly known as the Clifton and from which considerable ore was shipped along in the 80s that gave smelter returns of from 100 to 800 ounces in silver to the ton. It adjoins the famous Leavenworth mine which has a history itself. Mr. Henry is sinking a shaft on a part of the claim which heretofore has not been prospected and has every indication of opening up a high grade shipper in the near future.

If rumors are to be relied upon the American Flag property will soon be started up again. This mine is owned principally by Pueblo people who are also interested in the Modo company at Cripple Creek and have plenty of capital to do an unlimited amount of development. We understand that the shaft on the Flag will be sunk to a depth of 500 feet and considerable prospecting in the form of drifts and levels run when sufficient depth is gained.

The working force at the Reveille has been temporarily reduced. Drifting at depth of 177 feet to reach a known ore shoot, is progressing and when 70 feet having been run it is almost certain that the next 10 feet will disclose the ore sought in. Quite an abundance of ore yielding 25 ounces silver 60 per cent lead and $5 in gold is to be found in the shaft. This week in surface prospecting some distance east of the main shaft a body of rich looking material was uncovered. This point is being investigated.

White and Phillips are driving a tunnel on the Democrat lode and have reached the quartzite. It is between this formation and the trachyte dikes that the best ore bodies have been found. Along the entire Democrat ridge good gold values have been obtained.—(Custer Guidon.

GENERAL MINING NOTES FROM SILVER CLIFF DISTRICT

Work continues slowly at the Bull Domingo mine. However the breaking at the 1,000 foot stope is soon to begin and we understand Mr. Randall the mill man is to produce the product of his mill. The Bull Domingo is in fine shape now for sinking the shaft from 1,000 to 1,100 feet deeper and we believe it a wise move for the company to do so as it will then be in shape to run levels and stope out the vast body of ore that continues downward from the 1,000-foot level and in a manner that will place the mine on a dividend paying basis.

Work was resumed on the Spring Hill property last week with a half dozen men employed. A whim is being used for hoisting at present, but we understand a steam hoist will soon be installed. Report from this property is that the shaft is all in ore that can be made to pay when a process for the reduction of low grade ore has been introduced as is the intention of the Keystone Mining company.

A few men are at work on the property of the American G. M. Co at Querida overhauling the sinking pump and repairing the shaft and putting things in shape for a vigorous campaign of development work which will be begun soon. The American Flag property is so surrounded with other good properties that it appears as the hub of the rich district it is located in.

The work of enlarging the P and O shaft at Querida has been forwarded to a depth of 3_ feet. The miners have been laid off for a few days in order that some much needed repairs can be made uninterruptedly. The management expects no further lay offs until the bottom of the old workings have been reached.

The Bassick is grinding steadily and a good quality of concentrates is the product. It calls to mind remembrances of better days to see the old mine again shipping ore. Several loads of heavy machinery for additions to the mill were received at the property during the past week.

James Kennedy and Will J. Ryan have secured a contract to sink the Valley View shaft 50 feet deeper. Company work however will be continued with the usual push in the two drifts.

Dr. Preston is said to have opened up at 10 feet depth a six-foot vein of ore on his property north of town that carries good value in both the white and yellow metals.

W. B. Jackson we understand is encountering some ore that shows good gold values in the prosecution of assessment work upon his claims east of town.

A cabin has been erected on the Butcher lode, the property of Dickson & Shollerberger in preparation for work on the claim during the winter.—(Silver Cliff Rustler.

ENCOURAGING OUTLOOK FOR TURRET MINING DISTRICT.

Supt. Nichols is keeping the Vivandiere in the best of working order. The development of the property is proceeding most satisfactorily. Ore is being shipped from the mine and coal received for fuel.

A force of six men under the superintendence of D. L. Briggs is working on the Copper King. Mr. Briggs is now building a road to the property. When it is completed the necessary buildings will be erected, and the property will be put in the best of condition for extensive development.

B. Hopkins informs us that he has made a survey of the Three Friends workings and has found that the breast of the cross-cut in which Saunders and Van Eck are working is very close to the main vein and that any shot is liable to break into a body of ore. The vein will be cut at a depth of 150 feet.

This has been a good week for the Jasper. The station at the 150 foot level is completed and the vein opened at that point. A good body of fine ore has been uncovered. The force is drifting on the vein and sinking will be resumed at once. The Jasper is maintaining its reputation of being a most excellent property.

We have the most encouraging reports from the Mascot. The preliminary work is done and the entire force is employed in development. The tunnel is fully 40 feet under cover which is doing remarkably well considering the time the force has been at work and the amount of preparatory work that was necessary. The vein is showing up well and at no distant point to illustrate a bonanza.—(Cripple Creek Gold Belt.

HEAVY PRODUCTION FROM GRAND ISLAND DISTRICT

George T. Armitage of Philadelphia, vice president of the Girard Mining and Milling company which owns the Senator Tillman mine on Eldorado mountain has been in camp for a week inspecting the work being done on the property.

Mr. Armitage who is a mining man of large experience having mined for a number of years in New Mexico, says:

"After a careful examination of the mine and its workings I am very much satisfied and pleased with the showing and the efficient manner in which Superintendent R. H. Little has pushed the work and his expenditure of the money sent him by the company."

The St. Louis mine is keeping up the record of production. Most of the work being done is in the nature of development, but there are indications of a very rich ore shoot coming in that will exceed in value any of the present work. Trollope & Hubrel deserve the success as they have stuck to the camp through thick and thin. The shaft is being sunk by three men in three eight hour shifts. The contract calls for 100 feet, making the shaft 100 feet deep when completed. Manager H. L. selected six of the best shaft men in the county to take the contract and is furnishing everything necessary to facilitate the work.

The Sweet Home mine is sending regularly to the St. Louis mill with good results. The adit tunnel is being driven ahead steadily with four men. Some very good ore is being taken out and as soon as the present level is driven in sufficiently stoping will commence at once.

Manager Wolf of the Anchor property is working seven men driving a cross cut to intersect the Anchor lode. The parties who were previously driving the cross-cut supposed they had struck the main lode but a later survey proves the breast of the tunnel still shy 65 feet of reaching the big vein.

The Silver Point people are very busy opening new ground. This company owns some of the best territory on Idaho mountain and under the present management is sure to make a good showing.—(Eldora Miner.

BRIEF MINING NOTES FROM SAN JUAN DISTRICT

The middle fork of Mineral creek has several properties that have been shippers from this section and must soon attract the closer attention of mining capital as it is a coming field for investment.

Joliet and Wessels who are working a claim below Burrow bridge in Red mountain are getting fine returns on a low grade ore. The ore has a good lead on the dump ready for shipment that runs good in lead and silver.—(Ouray Herald.

The 100 ton concentrating mill of the Tobasco company is now in successful operation at the head of Burrows park. Owing to several small pieces of machinery not being in order only a single shift is at work in the mill but when all parts of the immense plant are in place full time will be utilized.

In the front line of importance is the recent strike in the Alpha company's claim on the Minnie and Mabel. A tunnel of a figure desired which no longer reached. This tunnel will cut the vein at a depth of 700 feet instead of 400. The rich showing made in the recent strike at a depth of 161 feet gives reason for the belief that the greater depth will open up a great mine.

The Hammond people are getting in supplies in carload lots and the great enterprise will be pushed to its ultimate development. It is said by those who are thoroughly conversant with Red mountain mining that not a vein of good ore has been cut that will in the season's work which is an encouraging incentive to push the great enterprise ahead.

The Esmeralda mine is keeping up its regular shipments of crude ore and is averaging five carloads every week. The product is loaded on the cars on a side track of the S. N. R. R. near the mouth of Minnie gulch. The new compressor plant is being put in place under the supervision of John Pinyan and will soon be in operation. This will greatly expedite ore production and development, and will show what one of San Juan county's shippers of crude ore can do.—(Silverton Miner.

About 70 tons per diem are being sent down to the Contention company's mill from their Spotted Pup claim.

George Barber has sorted about two carloads of ore from the Quail group in Dry gulch, owned by John Gray, for shipment to the smelter. It is a lead copper ore and ought to be worth $40 per ton.

The success of the 15 ton concentrating mill at the Burro Bridge is beyond the expectation of the owners Johnson & Lonat who are jubilant over the returns of the first carload of concentrates sent out last week.

The Chattanooga tunnel in Deer Park is now in about 185 feet. Probably later in the season the work will be done under contract and with the advent of spring power drills will be employed to send the tunnel on its 1,800-foot journey to cut the Montana vein.

The Bobtail mine in Commodore gulch Red mountain although not a shipper since last season is steadily developing, with 12 men under the foremanship of John Geisel. The property is owned by a strong Pittsburg company and the ore bodies are being exploited with a view to building a mill at an early date.

The Crown Prince in Prospect basin and the Lead Carbonate on Lost mountain are two claims being worked by A. A. Brown. On the latter a tunnel over 60 feet long has been run to cut the Lead Carbonate and Yuba Bill veins, two leads that showed good values near the surface. Both veins are expected to be reached at any time.

The Last Chance Mining company is prosecuting work on its property below the Guston mine at Red mountain under the supervision of Mr. Cox of Huntington West Virginia. The season's work has been concentrated on a tunnel which is now in 25 feet and which is expected to reach the ore body in another 25 feet. Like all the properties in that immediate locality the ore on the Last Chance holm show on the surface on what appears to be a chimney and the purpose of the tunnel is to cut this chimney of ore with depth that a long tunnel gives.

Work on the Columbus mine near Animas Forks has been resumed and six or seven men will put the old time property in shape to ship this winter. George H. Shock of the firm of Shock Bros. builders of mining machinery, Chicago has the property under bond and was in the county last week to start the work which will be under the supervision of M. McKenzie and Frank Schmid. As far back as 1881 the Columbia was among the shipping properties in San Juan county while but development has been done there are many old ore shoots disclosed by tunnel and shaft.

SUMMIT COUNTY

Next month the Gold Pan Mining company will commence work on a proposed drain tunnel to carry the seepage water and flow off from its placer workings located in the upper end of town.

The tunnel will be started on the banks of the Blue river near the mouth of French gulch and driven up stream under the South Park railroad right of way. The tunnel will be timbered and have an opening 6x7 feet in the clear. The source of the water way will be about eight feet below the bottom of the pit and.

This is an important undertaking. The expense will be close to $15,000 and about a year's time will be required to construct it but it seems that there is nothing too big for the Gold Pan.

The local sampler is doing the largest business in its history. The receipts from Kokomo now average about 400 tons per month and the Snake river district is sending over a like amount.

The Mountain Pride on Bald, with the mill running in day time only sent 130 tons of concentrates to the local sampler during September. Pretty good tonnage for a played out mine and a no-good mill.

About 10 men now find steady employment upon the Cashier property, and things are humming in Browns gulch.—(Summit County Journal.

OIL NEWS

DEBEQUE.

The site of the proposed new well to be sunk by a company largely composed of the stockholders in the old Blaine company is not as yet definitely settled upon, but it will be somewhere on the 40-acre tract southwest of and adjoining the Blaine or bard. The proposition to sink the well and to begin work on or before November 1, next, is contingent upon $400 worth of stock being subscribed locally. This amount has been practically all subscribed, so that it seems certain that there will be no further delay in beginning work.

Progress on the 500-foot contract at the Curtis well continues to be slow. Contractor Bradish reports that the present depth does not greatly exceed 1,200 feet. He says that he feels certain that some evilly disposed person has managed to drop a piece of steel bar into the hole and this not only prevents progress in drilling but deflects the drills in their course downward. It would seem almost impossible that any person in the district could be guilty of so contemptible an act.—(Debeque Bugle.

FLORENCE.

Considerable interest is being attached to the Florence oil field at present by the outside investors and two or three deals are now being quietly closed up. The deals to which reference is made embrace two 160-acre tracts lying south of Florence and Colorado Springs people are the buyers.

The Florence field has a number of notable wells within its boundaries. Well No 42 of the United Oil company has produced more than 1,000,000 barrels of crude oil, valued at about $1,000,000, since it was opened. The Florence Oil company has one well that has produced more than 600,000 barrels. Each of these is still producing, which demonstrates the stability of the field.

The petroleum produced at Florence refines into gasoline, illuminants of various grades, neutral oil, gas distillate or gas oil, lubricants of every quality, paraffine and tar, or the residuum used for fuel. The area of the Florence field is approximately 275,000 acres. The proportions, defined and proven are probably not more than 4,000 acres. The fact that the refineries are constantly increasing their output shows that oil will continue to be produced for decades to come. The industry, in a commercial way, is daily growing more important to Florence and the state, and it is predicted that 10 years hence the output will be doubled and that instead of 2,500 barrels being refined daily, fully 5,000 barrels will be treated.—(Denver Times.

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Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Mississippi Valley Medical Association:

In considering the subject indicated by the title of this paper the assumption is a plausible one that the large majority of the membership of this association have never familiarized themselves with Colorado by personal observation or experience.

While much has been written on the subject and may be learned from research, the time and attention of a large majority of physicians at a distance is too closely occupied by the demands of their local practice to admit of careful study at this direction. It is therefore with the desire to add somewhat to their interest and possibly to their information, regarding the health giving and health restoring advantages of the Centennial state, that I appear before you, and with no desire to make any comparisons or statements prejudicial to any state or locality. Nor is it my purpose to treat the subject as much from a scientific or theoretical standpoint as to state well attested facts calling the attention of medical men and of all others who may be interested, to a state possessing so varied and abundant advantages for all classes and conditions of men, whether in the fullest enjoyment of health or seeking it.

A residence of nearly two decades in Colorado, coming from about sea-level—Chicago—where I had resided for a quarter of a century and had become broken in health and spirits, has year by year added to my conviction that in a large proportion of human ills, and especially such as have passed beyond the acute stage, far greater hope can be held out for complete recovery and far better results obtained than in the lower altitudes approximating sea level or in localities contiguous to large bodies of water resulting in increased humidity and often in unavoidable malarial and other health detracting influences.

Physical Characteristics of Colorado Affecting Its Climate.

Colorado is an empire by itself. One of the six largest of the 45 states—with an area of nearly 104,000 square miles. It extends 330 miles east and west, and 280 miles north and south. To the north lies Wyoming, to the south New Mexico, to the east Kansas and Nebraska, and to the west Utah. It includes a territory equal in area to all the New England states plus Ohio or Illinois—or nearly equal to New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware—or equal to England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Of this area, about one-third to the eastward from Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Trinidad, Fort Collins and Greeley, or about 40,000 square miles is an immense plain comparatively level and sparsely timbered, while some 60,000 square miles to the westward is largely mountainous, comprising many mountain ranges traversing the state in a general direction from north to south.

Included in this mountainous area are four great systems of natural parks with an elevation varying from 7,000 to 9,000 feet above sea level. Commencing at the northern portion of the state, at 41 degrees north latitude, comes North park with an area of 2,500 square miles or twice that of Rhode Island. It is 75 miles in length by 50 miles in width, with an altitude of 9,000 feet, while the mountains environing it rise from 4,000 to 5,000 feet still higher. In no other portion of the globe is there a more perfect paradise for the hunter, while the many streams winding their way through this great plateau are the abodes of myriads of fish.

Next to the southward and separated from North park by a mountain range comes Middle park, somewhat larger than North park, containing about 3,000 squares, and quite similar thereto in many of its physical characteristics. Within its boundaries lies the famed Grand lake, one of the most beautiful inland lakes on the continent, and one of the largest in Colorado. In about its center, and covering an area about a mile square, it appears to be bottomless, the deepest soundings ever made failing to reach bottom.

But ten miles away are located the still more famous hot sulphur springs, six in number, in which the waters boil up from the base of a cliff at a temperature of 117 degrees, and for drinking and bathing possess remarkable virtues in diseases of the liver, kidneys and skin, as also in dyspepsia and rheumatism and allied complaints.

To the southward from Middle park, and separated therefrom by the great Snowy range comes the beautiful South park, some 50 miles in length, by 20 to 30 miles in width, with an area of about 1,000 square miles. This lies about 75 miles southwest from Denver and comprises the area in which was first discovered the rich gold mines that in the early days, some 40 years ago, made Colorado famous. Here also are found mineral springs in various localities possessing waters of well-known medicinal virtues. The average elevation of South park is 9,000 feet.

Some 50 miles to the southward and separated by several mountain ranges lies the largest of all these magnificent mountain amphitheaters, known as San Luis park, with an area of some 10,000 square miles. It is elliptical in form and some 100 or more miles in length by 80 miles in width, and comprises the famous agricultural region of southern Colorado. It is bisected by the great river the Rio Grande del Norte, which flows through its entire length. It also commands a beautiful lake of the same name, miles in length, and which has no known outlet, although fed by some 15 or 20 streams.

Our six borders are 12 mountain peaks at very equal distances from each other, the loftiest being Sierra Blanca, standing alone in its magnificence and grandeur, crowned with perpetual snow and reaching its towering height 14,483 feet above sea level or 336 feet higher than Pike's peak. The average elevation of San Luis park is 7,500 feet, and is surrounded by mountains rising from 4,000 to 7,000 feet still higher than the plain which is remarkably level.

Traversing this magnificent plateau of fabulous fertility and resources nearly through its entire length passes one of the great arteries of Colorado's world-famous scenic railway systems—the Denver and Rio Grande, which here presents one of its many remarkable features in railway construction, being a direct tangent 53 miles in length, and without a cut or fill during its entire length, and this at an elevation of 7,500 feet above sea level.

The lands in all these great parks are rich in nutritious grasses, and wonderfully productive in grains, vegetables and fruits of all kinds wherever cultivated.

Those who imagine there are no lakes in Colorado will be surprised to learn that this mountainous area alone contains a thousand or more, besides over 250 rivers, and many smaller streams that are mostly fed by melting snows that are stored in the mountains thousands of feet above until such times as the moisture is needed below. Truly a wise provision of nature and one that adds vastly to the state's productiveness and resources.

Within this area is also stored Colorado's vast and incalculable mineral riches—inexhaustible in extent for many generations to come, secure in their native encased vaults until such time as the enterprise and genius of man shall discover and utilize them—gold, silver, iron, lead, copper, coal, marble, granite, petroleum etc., towards the discovery, exploration and recovery of which scarcely a beginning has yet been made. Centuries will be required to explore their boundaries and values and reveal to the world the incalculable riches of the Centennial state.

It can therefore be readily understood that in this wonderful variety of climatic conditions arising from different altitudes of mountain and valley, in the course and direction of its unnumbered mountain ranges, its proximate and remote mountain streams, lakes and water courses, its innumerable resorts at various altitudes more or less protected at any and all seasons of the year from the heat of summer and the rigors of winter, the 300 days out of the 365, each year of sunshine and cloudless skies, its entire freedom from malarial influences, advantages and conditions prevail that cannot be improved upon in any state or country, conducive to health or to recovery from diseased conditions.

The atmospheric conditions at all seasons of the year are such that by careful study of the requirements of the patient, localities may easily be reached that will afford the best possible opportunities for recovery.

Within this great mountainous area of nearly 300 miles north and south by 200 miles east and west, are nearly 150 snow capped mountain peaks ranging from 13,500 to nearly 14,500 feet in height, 12 of them being unnamed, and 26 being higher than the famed Pike's peak. Within this area are also many valleys of almost winterless temperatures. The same altitudes at different places afford climatic conditions differing entirely, owing to variations in the trend of the valleys in which they lie, and to their exposure to winds and to the sun's rays. The ever constant and important condition of sunshine, dry air and blue sky, common to all habitable portions of the state, form its basic health restoring and health sustaining qualities equally advantageous to the sick and to the well.

Mineral Springs of Colorado.

As the world's greatest storehouse of minerals of every description, this immense area of geological and chemical wonders would be strangely incomplete without mineral springs of every known variety, and such it possesses in large and varied measure.

Diseases that often defy scientific treatment readily yield to nature's remedies epitomized in waters flowing fresh from God's unseen and fathomless fountains, possessing healing properties beyond the skill of man to duplicate.

Chemical analysis and scientific comparison show that within this great area of phenomenal riches and resources, the waters that are famed for their medicinal virtues found in any other portion of America or in Germany, Austria, France or Switzerland are all duplicated, and that springs here exist that must eventually be known to the ends of the earth for their medicinal, health giving and healing properties, thus again adding to the renown of the Centennial state, and making it a Mecca to which pilgrimages will be made by countless numbers for the benefit of waters that shall forever flow "for the healing of the nations."

Some Generally Accepted Facts Regarding Mountain Climates Applicable to Colorado.

After all the discussions that have been indulged in regarding the relative advantages of mountain climates as compared with altitudes approaching sea level, as health restorers in many diseased conditions, and as health promoters where no serious abnormal condition exist, certain accepted facts stand out prominently that must at once appeal most forcibly to all physicians as conditions of decided advantage in favor of high altitudes.

Elevations of 5500 feet and more above sea level may be regarded as mountain climates. Common to all such elevations, varying with local conditions, may be mentioned:

First—Pure air, with relative freedom from noxious gases and from irritating substances floating therein, as dust, etc.

Second—Diminished atmospheric density.

Third—Reduction in temperature.

Fourth—Diminished humidity.

Fifth—Powerful insulation as to both heat and light.

It would hardly seem necessary at this time to emphasize the fact so generally understood and accepted, as to the relative purity of the atmosphere in mountainous regions, usually sparsely inhabited, as compared with the atmosphere of lower altitudes pregnant with organic and inorganic forms of various substances, that so abundantly thrive where conditions are so favorable for their growth and existence in more humid atmospheres, in thickly settled localities with inefficient drainage and surroundings favorable to the generation of deleterious gases, from decomposing substances, animal and vegetable, and to malarial and miasmatic influences.

Atmospheric density diminishes as we rise above sea level, in a ratio varying from 12 per cent at 2,500 feet to about 25 per cent at 7,500 feet.

The diminution in temperature as we ascend above sea level amounts to about one degree for every 300 feet.

The diminished absolute humidity of the higher altitudes, especially noticeable in Colorado along the entire foothill region on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, is doubtless increased by the presence of a quickly absorbing and drying soil and the absence of frequent and prolonged rainfall. Also in the higher altitudes the sun's rays being more direct and powerful and of longer duration, forms a factor of great importance both to the invalid and also to those who are not to be included in this class.

Along this entire sun-kissed eastern Rocky Mountain slope of Colorado, extending for 400 miles north and south, the sun shines brightly about 82 hours out of every possible 100, while along the Atlantic coast it averages less than 60, while there the sun's rays are also lessened in force and directness and largely counteracted much of the time by clouds, fogs, mists and dense humidity which in Colorado are for the most part unknown quantities and conditions.

During the winter months the contrast is still greater. In Colorado we have from December to March 58 per cent of all possible sunshine, while along the Atlantic coast the average is but 37 per cent, thus showing a vast advantage in favor of the higher altitudes of Colorado.

Taking periods of 10 years in Denver as compared with the same in more eastern cities at about sea level, we have on average of 241 clear or partly clear days annually, while in Chicago the average is but 150 days and in New York city 262 days. Such figures as these speak for themselves and need no further comment.

Of great value advantage also is the early morning sunlight throughout this entire eastern portion of Colorado—as also very generally throughout the more mountainous portions, with its warmth and brilliancy so cheering as it also is beneficial in the early part of the day, either to the invalid in hastening recovery or to those in health and sustaining and prolonging life. And it is to be noted that the purity of the air depends largely upon the amount and intensity of the sunlight passing through it.

Value of High Altitudes With Their Rarefied Air and Direct Sunlight in the Treatment of Abnormal Conditions.

It would be difficult to name any disease or abnormal condition in the treatment of which a pure, aseptic, rarefied, clear, stimulating, supply, dry atmosphere is not an inexorable requisite in accomplishing the best results. Medicinal remedies may or may not be demanded, but pure air and pure water—nature's sovereign remedies—that must be forgotten or denied. Wherever these can be found is where the sick or the well thrive and where the percentage of longevity will increase the most rapidly.

The researches and observations of climatologists of high standing in the profession and in the confidence of physicians the world over, who have for years past made careful study of the relative advantages of high altitudes as compared with those approaching sea level, almost without exception as regarding pulmonary diseases or tendencies in this direction within the possible curative stages give the preference to the higher altitudes.

Dr. Charles Denison of Denver and Dr. S. E. Solly of Colorado Springs, who have made careful observations during 25 years or more past, as their large opportunities have afforded, together with many physicians of the state and elsewhere less widely known, may be mentioned in this connection—as also Drs. C. T. Williams, Herman Webber and W. H. Walsh of London, Drs. Jaccoud and (the late) Jourdanet of Paris, the late Dr. Carl Rudel, formerly of Denver and later of Davos Plata, Switzerland; Dr. Archibald Smith of the Peruvian Andes and others of note, all men of eminence and of large experience and observation in the treatment of pulmonary diseases, are a unit in ascribing the best possible attainable results to the higher mountain altitudes.

Electric Conditions of Colorado.

While physicians of intelligence and wide experience in the practice of their profession in Colorado are convinced that in the realm of electric influence, a far more potent and beneficial factor exists in the higher altitudes favoring sustenance of the vital powers and recovery in many abnormal conditions, than exists in the altitudes nearer sea level, yet they also recognize the fact that our present knowledge regarding this force existing subjectively in individual cases, is not sufficiently advanced to enable us to measure, fully describe or define it with accuracy, and the subject is here mentioned with the hope that the members of this association may interest themselves in further investigation with the view to the possible removal of the cause, operation and effect of such important phenomena from the domain of present speculative theory.

A thorough and analytical discussion of the influence of the sun upon our earth and its living organisms would occupy a field too wide for the limits of the present paper.

The peculiar power of the solar rays in its creation and hygienic effects upon animal and vegetable life deserves a high place in scientific investigation.

Throughout the entire solar system the sun diffuses heat, light and certain forces yet imperfectly understood and may perhaps be the dynamic generator of the electricity of the world. Heat, light and that other power, which for convenience we may call electricity, beget something like a chemical agency, the most powerful and subtle in its creative and metamorphic results within the realm of human observation and science.

The sun may well be regarded, from a purely scientific standpoint, as the source of life, since all material forms of life, both animal and vegetable, could not exist without it. Hence as the creator and preserver of life, no wonder the ancients worshiped the sun—the most natural and rational of all primitive theogony. True, there are certain classes of life, animal and vegetable, which seem to generate and thrive best in the environment of damp and darkness. Vegetable forms of fungoid texture for example and classes of insects of multitudinous and almost spontaneous breeding faculties, but short lived, come into being away from sunlight. And with such genera we may class the microbic and parasitic forms of life.

But it is remarkable that the sun is the enemy and great destroyer of these lower forms of insectivora, fungi, sporadic and microscopic life.

While on the one hand the sun is the greatest germinating agency in nature, on the other hand it is the great universal antiseptic and germicidal agent in nature's economy.

It is familiar household knowledge that the best way to render wholesome such things as clothing, bedding, carpets, etc., is to hang or spread them out in the sun.

How can a poisonous swamp be best redeemed? By draining it and letting the sun consume the malarious and miasmatic elements.

Nothing is so cheap and quickly effective as an agent in this regard as the solvent, deodorizing, disinfecting and vermin destroying influence of clear sunlight and air—especially dry air.

The sun is the great scavenger of the earth. From the earliest travel across the plains and mountains between the Missouri river and the Pacific coast, to fact of common observation was more striking than the rapidity with which carcasses of animals dying along the route were dried up and disrupted by the sun of the high and arid altitudes, with little or no putrefaction. Indeed Indians and Mexicans throughout this region, from time immemorial, have cured their fresh meats by cutting it into strips and hanging it up unsalted in the sun like clothes on a line.

The most primitive peoples of whom we have knowledge in history or tradition were not only familiar with the healing virtues of sunlight, but for this reason I have already mentioned, made the sun their chief god.

Osiris, the sun, was the god of the civilized Egyptians and under various names was the chief deity of other leading oriental races as well as the god also of the Montezumas, their pyramid building prototypes of the American occident.

And even the Hebrew poets of the Bible were so permeated with the ideas of the so-called "heathen"—derived from their former Egyptian masters, that they could not avoid incorporating these ideas into their sacred literature; as witness that beautiful passage of oriental speech which figures their own god as the "Sun of Righteousness which arises with healing in his wings."

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FERRELAY AND COMPANY'S MARKET LETTER

Colorado Springs, Oct. 18.—While the inactive and depressed condition of the local mining share market during the past year has been unfortunate in many respects, we believe it will eventually prove of inestimable benefit to all concerned. More sound common sense and wisdom has been developed among the mining fraternity during the past year than was ever before noticeable. Crises induce brain activity, and a preponderance of brain activity over impulse is essential to success in any and all lines of enterprise. For several years nearly every action in connection with the local stock market was builded upon the shifting sands of impulse instead of being laid upon the rock foundation of thought; a contagious optimism ruled, beyond all reason; "there is always a bottom but never a top" has been the tenet of everyone; nearly everyone would tell you when to buy, but there was mighty little ever said about selling; actual conditions were forgotten in the blinding glare of an ever-advancing market; men seemed to forget that brains were given them for thinking purposes—and we entered upon an era of over-speculation and unthinking investment which could have but one result.

Then the crash came. It was inevitable. It has been a bitter experience, but it has made us do a little more thinking. And this, in our opinion, presages well for the future. Men are beginning to put the same careful thought on their mining investments that they do on any other business enterprise, and this assures a preponderance of successes over failures in the future. Actual conditions will have some weight—and the Cripple Creek stock business rests today upon a more substantial foundation than ever before in its history, because business thought and business methods have entered into it to a greater extent than ever before.

This fact, in conjunction with present mine conditions at camp, warrants the belief that the future will restore the prosperity that once prevailed here in mining circles. If the mines were "playing out" and if the operations now in progress were producing no results, then there would be cause for apprehension. On the contrary, the mines are in excellent condition, and lessees all over the camp are demonstrating the fact that there is a great deal more ore left in the hills of Cripple Creek than has ever been taken out. The lessees, by the way, made Cripple Creek, and they are going to restore it to its old-time prosperity. Fortunately, mine owners realize this and are granting leases on more liberal terms. No one who is at all familiar with Cripple Creek doubts the presence there of enough ore to keep thousands of men busy all the rest of their natural lives. It is not a question of ore, for we all know that Cripple Creek is the richest known camp of its size and age, in the world. The fortunes that have been made there are as nothing to the fortunes that will be made there. But the stock market does not always keep pace with the camp, and it is the stock market that is now of special interest to investors and the local mining fraternity.

In our opinion the two things needed to restore the old-time prosperity are brain activity and honesty. Let the brokers do some mighty hard thinking before they allow anyone to invest a dollar, and then let them be honest with their clients, with themselves and with each other. Honesty with a client means the giving of unprejudiced opinion (never advice) based upon existing facts and conditions and not upon expectations and hopes; honesty with himself means an ability to recognize fact and a willingness to accept it, no matter how foreign it may be to that which he hoped for and expected; honesty with each other means the free exchange of reliable information, an ability and willingness to recognize merit in some other fellow's proposition, and harmonious co-operation for the common interest—the betterment of existing conditions and the placing of the entire local stock business upon a legitimate, trustworthy and unimpeachable commercial basis. We conceive the local mining exchange to be a partnership affair; and the advancement of the best interests of the concern and each individual partner therein, must be paramount in the mind of every member before we can hope for the substantial prosperity which legitimately belongs to the Colorado Springs Mining Stock association. We believe such co-operation can be brought about. Possibly we have an overweening faith in human nature, but we believe it, nevertheless. What's more, we believe the events of the past year have made the members appreciate, more deeply than ever, the necessity for such co-operation and honesty with each other. Only through brain activity and honesty, as above outlined, can we hope for the restoration of confidence on the part of the investing public; and without such confidence, without the participation of outside capital in the development of our resources, the market will continue to be narrow, restricted to local trading, inactive and disheartening.

Above all, let us talk prosperity, honesty and reliability—and then back that talk by being honest and reliable. The men who dabble in stocks will "stay with it" for all time if they think they are "getting a square deal." They are not cowards, but will take their losses without squealing and "play in the game" to the end if they are sure that the cards are not marked. The conditions most needed right now are: unimpeachable methods, co-operation and advertisement. Talk Cripple Creek, its history, its achievements and its present record; talk it hopefully, as from conviction—for to carry conviction one must believe unqualifiedly in everything he says; spend what money you can on printer's ink, for judicious advertising achieves wonders; stick to the facts—as far as Cripple Creek is concerned the facts are good enough for anyone; and use every effort to bring capital into legitimate enterprises in Colorado.

Anything that is backed by gold will be prosperous when everything else in the country is not; and any mining stock market that is backed by so wonderful a camp as Cripple Creek, has an assured prosperity. It rests with the men behind the market to bring about that prosperity.

As the market is featureless, we have taken this opportunity to express to investors and the mining fraternity our views along certain lines, in the hope that somewhere in the above there may be a fertile seed that will fall upon productive soil. Portland has declared and paid a three-cent dividend, being one-half the usual amount. With a comparatively meager treasury reserve, with the new mill as yet untried and untested, in our opinion, and in the face of existing uncertainties, we question the advisability of paying this reduced dividend. We would have preferred that no dividend be declared rather than to see the resumption of dividends at a decreased rate, all conditions considered. The fact that the Portland company has vast quantities of unpaired ore which can be taken out at will, does not alter our opinion in this matter.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
Made to the Comptroller of the Currency September 15, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,256,324.97
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000.00
Due from U. S. treasury (5 per cent fund)		5,000.00
Bonds and warrants		329,997.00
Due from banks	$ 1,065,742.59	
Cash	411,906.44	
		1,477,649.03
Total		$1,496,471.07

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 100,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	257,533.24
Circulation	100,000.00
Deposits	1,041,137.83
Total	$1,496,471.07

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The First National Bank
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At the close of business September 15, 1902.
RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$580,821.00
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		50,000.00
U. S. Bonds to Secure U. S. Deposit	$100,000.00	
Other Bonds and Cash Securities	111,120.76	
Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer	355,582.62	
Cash	191,224.22	
Cash Resources		757,727.60
		$1,388,260.60

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	8,000.00
Undivided Profits	24,002.42
Circulation	50,000.00
Deposits	1,256,258.18
	$1,388,260.60

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The Exchange National Bank
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Report of Condition as made to the Comptroller of the Currency, Sept. 15, 1902.
RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 905,063.73
United States Bonds		25,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer		2,250.00
Bonds and Warrants	$ 1,163,804.49	
Cash and due from Banks	2,413,421.38	3,576,827.87
		$4,509,481.60

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 100,000.01
Surplus and Undivided Profits	150,573.59
Circulation	25,000.00
Deposits	4,234,907.99
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United States Bonds	30,000.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits	56,291.27
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STATE CONVENTION OF YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The local Young Men's Christian association has nearly completed arrangements for the state convention to be held November 6 to 9, and from advices received a large delegation is expected. It is a disappointment that the new building is unfinished but the fact that it is going up rapidly will stimulate enthusiasm for new buildings elsewhere. In fact at least three associations in the state of Colorado are already making plans to erect buildings in the near future and are making a careful study of the Colorado Springs building as it is generally considered a model in up-to-date Y M C A buildings.

The program for the convention as arranged is as follows:

Colorado Y M C A state convention to be held at Perkins auditorium and art institute Corner Tejon and Cache La Poudre streets, Colorado Springs Colo November 6 to 9 1902.

Thursday evening, November 6

7 30—Introductory service Bruno Hobbs of Cripple Creek

8 00—Address "The World-wide Young Men's Christian Association Its Dimensions and Its Intentions" I E. Brown, state secretary Illinois

9 00—Informal reception to delegates of convention and members of the Colorado Springs association.

Friday morning November 7

8.30—Praise service

8 40—Business session

9 00—Bible study Gospel of Matthew ' Rev. B B Tyler Denver

10 00—Reports from associations in writing (Limited to three minutes each)

11 00—Address How Some Buildings Were Secured Rev I E Brown

Discussion

12 00—Adjournment.

Afternoon

2 00—Bible study 'Gospel of Mark" H E Crowell Denver 1 'City Section and Railroad" W E Sweet (a) address, Geo D McDill (b) conference

3 00—Sectional conference, 2 College section' H H Tangeman (a) address Edw S Parsons (b) papers on committee work (c) discussion of committee work.

Reception by Mrs Day and Women's auxiliary at residence of Secretary Day

Evening

7 30—Annual report of the state executive committee

8 30—Address, George D McDill, Omaha.

Saturday morning November 8

8 45—Praise service

9 00— Methods of Bible Study Rev E B Tyler

10 00—Where our money came from last year (Detailed reports of subscriptions and who secured them)

10 30—Junior conference 1 Address The Boy Problem,' W A Stillwell Colorado Springs 2 Discussion

11 00—Invitation for next convention

11 30—' Physical Department Experience ' I W Larimore, Denver

12 00—Adjournment.

Afternoon

2 00—Excursion

Evening

7 30—Bible study 'The Gospel of John' Charles Boughbridge, Yale 83

8 30—Address The Young of Colorado, Rev W F Slocum, D D L L D

Sunday morning

9 30—Our supreme aim 1 Bible Study,' W W Hamilton 2 "Evangelistic Services" W W Winne 3 'Personal Work,' G S Bilheimer (Ten minutes each)

10 30—Morning services Pulpits supplied by delegates

Afternoon

3 00—1 Men's Meeting' C C Smith 2 Women's Meeting Geo D McDill and Mrs Daniel 3 Boys Meeting ' W E Bilheimer

5 00—Strangers tea Y M C A. rooms 211 North Nevada avenue

Evening

7 30—Evening services Pulpits supplied by delegates

9 00—Farewell meeting led by Bruno Hobbs of Cripple Creek

The public are invited to attend the services

POLITICAL NEWS OF ALL PARTIES

DEMOCRATS RALLIED AT COLORADO CITY

The Democrats rallied at Colorado City last night and Wascott hall was comfortably filled by an interested audience. Their attendance was amply rewarded by the excellent speeches of ex-Governor Thomas and Charles S Sprague, candidate for the legislature. Mr O. P Bennett presided over the meeting, and before the principal speakers, introduced to the audience W P Moffat, Charles R Burger and Judge Rates, all of whom were seated on the platform and who responded with short speeches.

Mr Sprague was next introduced by the speaker and spoke at some length confining his remarks largely to the record of the past Democratic legislature, speaking in turn of the eight-hour law the suffrage measure the revenue and insurance laws and the law providing for a semi-monthly payday. His mention of the initiative and referendum as a proposed new measure met with special applause.

Ex-Governor Thomas followed Mr. Sprague and was listened to attentively by his audience throughout his address.

"The triumphant Democracy of Colorado" said ex-Governor Thomas "is a comparatively recent thing. Up to '96 we occasionally winged a stray bird but were generally on the outside while the Republicans were inside, where it was warm and had all the turkey. It was not an accident that brought the Democratic party into power, but it was in a measure an economic crisis." The ex-governor then reviewed the silver agitation of '96, and incidentally Senator Teller's connection therewith and dwelt quite at length on the demonetization of silver and its results. He made special mention of the Hill bill now pending in congress, and its probable effect on the mining towns, and the mining interests of Colorado. "In this present crisis," he said "much depends upon the vote of Colorado the greatest silver producing state of the union."

Mr Thomas then declared that the establishment of a gold standard had been followed by the great consolidations of all our great industries, the question of questions in our national life today. In speaking more directly of the trust evil ex-Governor Thomas said "When five men can stand at the threshold of our anthracite mines at the beginning of winter with 150,000 idle miners on one hand and 75 millions of our citizens demanding coal on the other, is it not time for our government to say to these men 'thus far shalt thou go and no further.'"

The speaker in closing made a running comparison of the candidates on the two tickets and paid an eloquent tribute to Senator Henry M. Teller.

If there are any Democrats or Republicans around Colorado Springs who are feeling particularly brash about their ability as debaters they are offered a splendid opportunity to show it. The Socialists of the city have just flung down the gauntlet to both parties. Come one come all the great and small and meet Rev. J. Stitt Wilson is the defi of the Socialist body.

They have just engaged the Temple theater for a series of three lectures by Mr. Wilson and the proceeds of these after defraying the expenses of the lectures will go to the striking coal miners of the Pennsylvania region. To make the thing a little more interesting a general challenge is extended by the committee to the Republicans or Democrats to furnish speakers to meet Mr Wilson in debate on the question of Socialism. Any acceptances may be sent to H C Darrah at 812 East Monument street.

The Socialists will bear all the expenses of the debate. The lectures by Mr Wilson are to be free and he is said to be a very eloquent man.

Word has been received in this city by friends of W Grant Chapman who resided here for some time stating that he has been nominated for county commissioner by the Republicans of Chaves county N M he having removed to Roswell the famous Pecos valley business and railroad center upon leaving Colorado Springs.

Mr Chapman will be remembered as the man who established and conducted for 18 months a feed and coal business at the corner of Wahsatch avenue and Dale street in this city. He was never known here as a man active in politics other than as a Republican. During his residence here he was considered one of the reliable advocates of the Republican party in the Second ward his influence extending also to numerous Democrats of his neighborhood. He left Colorado Springs about two years ago.

It now looks as though registration will touch the mark of last year or at least come pretty close to it. County Clerk Reed stated yesterday that it was close to the 11,000 mark and yesterday there were 623 names added to the list, including changes. There were 159 changes.

Monday will see at least this many more registered if the workers can get at them. There will be over a hundred workers out from each party after the unregistered and some great work should be accomplished. The registration books close tomorrow night at 7 o'clock at the Temple theater and it is once more urged upon all to be sure that their vote is assured and that their names are upon the books.

Local Physicians Will Be Asked to Make Widal Test

City Health Commissioner Hanford is not wholly satisfied in his mind that all of the cases of typhoid fever reported to him are really typhoid and he is therefore taking steps to ascertain the truth of the matter.

About Tuesday he will send out notices to all the physicians of the city having typhoid cases under their care to use what is known as the Widal test. This consists of making a test of the blood of the patient with typhoid germs. It is said to be a very sure and a very thorough test. The city will furnish the bacilli.

Many of the cases of so-called typhoid which have been reported to Dr Hanford have recovered too quickly to be real typhoid, and the health commissioner is of the opinion that these were really a form of malaria. However they are entered as typhoid in the reports and by the state board of health which tends to lower the health percentage of the city. Dr Hanford is making a strong effort to maintain a high percentage and naturally does not care to have an avoidable drawback continue.

Warrants Sworn Out as Result of a Disturbance

Warrants were sworn out in Justice Ruby's court late yesterday afternoon charging Thomas J McParlin with making an assault upon A. Joe Ward and also with disturbing the peace of the McRae cafe. The warrants were sworn out by J. G Cooper an employe of the McRae cafe.

The warrants were placed in the hands of Constable Sam Shellenberger but friends of Mr McParlin presented Justice Ruby with a doctor's certificate to the effect that Mr McParlin is in bad shape physically and the warrants were therefore not served. It is said by Mr McParlin's friends that he is badly hurt and may lose an eye.

It is claimed that the assault and disturbance took place late Friday night. It is alleged that Mr McParlin went into the cafe in an intoxicated condition and that he created a disturbance. It is claimed that Mr Ward requested him to go out and that he did but returned after making threats as to what he intended to do. It is alleged that he assaulted Mr Ward in the entrance to the cafe. Mr Cooper was working in the cafe and he went to Mr Ward's assistance and it is claimed that Mr. McParlin also assailed him.

At all events it is said that the attorney eventually emerged from the encounter the worse for wear.

BRIEF CITY ITEMS

ALPHONSE AND GASTON—The theatrical production traveling under the reputation of the "Alphonse and Gaston" series of cartoons which appeared at the Opera house last night played to a top heavy house and it was pleasing to the galleries. The comedy team, which was supposed to be the hit of the evening, was decidedly poor.

CHARGED WITH THEFT—Harry George, colored, 18 years old, is under arrest on a charge of stealing a pair of trousers from E G Robbins' store on South Tejon street. It is claimed that he slipped a pair of trousers under his coat while in the store pricing them.

ENTERED THE LAUNDRY—Burglars gained entrance to the Monarch Hand laundry on East Pike's Peak avenue, stole a cash register which they took into the alley and smashed open with an ax. Four pennies was the net result of their labors. Karl C Mohler, the proprietor, having emptied the register before he went home.

Read the Want ads.

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Cold feet and hands indicate poor circulation of the blood and a nervous predisposition to take Cold.

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FOR housekeeping $1 50 week 209 E Costilla

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ROOMS reasonable for gentlemen 130 N Weber

HOUSEKEEPING room 30 N Cascade

TWO modern bedrooms 27 Boulder Crescent

ROOMS for housekeeping 718 S Weber

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FOR SALE—Good team of good work mules weight about 2 700 pounds price $75 can be seen at 115 N Nevada

FOR SALE—Bay horse 8 years old good saddler safe for lady to drive 77 Address D 18 Gazette

FOR SALE—Well bred driving mare very fast, rubber tire runabout and harness 118 N Tejon

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MADAME DESAINT strange young lady of mystery can be consulted privately regarding all matters of business love marriage divorce property specially tion, changes law contesting speculation etc everything revealed secret power to charge, influence or control any one or anything as you wish in 2 to 21 days reduced fees for this week

Fortune knocks at your door once in a life time Mme Desaint physic medium tor, reveals your entire life without asking a question True advice on all affairs of life by this gifted clairvoyant and occult spiritual medium Clinton Hotel 123 E Huerfano Hours, 9 a. m to 8 p m

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Hall's Safe and Vault Work
WEBER CYCLE & SUPPLY CO.

MISCELLANEOUS

"I HAVE not had better material in town than the last bill from THE CAHN LUMBER CO and I saved nearly 20 per cent. in price"

WALL PAPER, $3 50 per room and up Rikenod, 501 S Nevada Phone 311 Black

TO RENT—Barn 1023 N Wahsatch

BUSINESS CHANCES

WELL that s not a big bill, but I saved $20 by figuring with the CAHN LUMBER CO So it goes and Cahn s teams are kept busy

FOR SALE—Furniture and business of 12-room boarding house 313 E. Kiowa st

FOR nervousness and diseases of women, call at 421 S Tejon

MUSIC business cheap 218 N Wahsatch

Inventions patented Price phone black 232

TO TRADE

TO TRADE
Some good vacant lots for improved property
ADAMS & WILLIAMS

I have good room paid in advance, $50 would sell or trade it for buggy or horse 118 N Tejon St.

TO TRADE—For good horse and buggy, upright piano Box 72 city

MUSICAL

MISS GUNNISON teacher of piano forte Residence 7.. N Weber

CARL NESS teacher of violin mandolin, guitar 118 N Tejon

TO RENT—BUSINESS

TO RENT—One half large front office room with use of desk and vault Apply room 2 Gazette bldg

TO RENT—Barn E Pike s Peak

TO LOAN

IF YOU want to borrow money on good real estate see
ADAMS & WILLIAMS.
They can make the loan in any sum you wish and without any delay at lowest rates
S Tejon St

CHEAP AND EASY
THE WEEKLY PAYMENT LOAN CO Will loan money on all good chattel security at the lowest rates on very easy weekly payments 44 De Graff bldg

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MONEY TO LOAN on real estate at lowest rate Terrill & Garlick 23½ N Tejon

MONEY TO LOAN any amount sweet rate Wm G Shopcott Gazette bldg

MONEY TO LOAN Hull Sweatman Realty Co 17 S Tejon st

TO LOAN Six per cent money Williamson 27 N Tejon st

TALKING MACHINES

PHONOGRAPHS and Victor Talking Machines Weber Cycle & Supply Co

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

WHAT $ WILL BUY
$ —11 blocks north 8 room house with furnace electric lights bath grate and mantel range barn fine lawn and shade and a lot 50x130 fu ing east $4000
$ —6 blocks north 7-room house with hot water heat bath electric lights grate and mantel range cellar lawn and shade with 50 feet frontage $1200 cash will be satisfactory for first payment $5000
$ —7 blocks north this 8 rooms bath furnace electric lights grate and mantel range basement good lawn and shade it is new house lot facing south $5000 NEW
$ —11 blocks north this house has rooms with bath furnace both electric lights and gas grate and mantel range basement fine lawn and shade lot $5000
$ —11 blocks north this property consists of 1 house with rooms bath electric lights range basement bath lot 50x150 facing east $5000
IT'S A PLEASURE TO SHOW THEM
COLLINS TERRILL & GARLICK
23 N Tejon St

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Phone 596 B Phone 553.
Office Phone 157 B
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Real Estate Loans and Insurance
$1600 5-room house North Nevada modern except heat lot 50x150 fruit and shade trees connected with sewer
$ 900 6 room house modern except heat, lot easy terms
GREATEST BARGAIN IN COLORADO SPRINGS
$ Buys 7 room house and barn lot 50 x190 in business center of city 10 from the new Mining Exchange great opportunity to make money Investigate this quick Time limited
ANOTHER BARGAIN
$3500 Buys 7 room house electric lights and gas furnace heat connected with sewer lot 50x110 One block from court house business center of city See it quick It must go
ELEGANT INVESTMENT
$ 775 Buys a neat little 2 room cottage, one and one half blocks from the business center of the city Will pay 15 to 20 per cent Property will increase in value at the rate of 10 to 15 per cent. See this if you want something gilt edge
FRANKLIN & THOMAS,
27½ N Tejon.

IF YOU WANT
A HOME
NOW IS THE TIME
TO BUY

IF YOU WANT
IT
LOCATED RIGHT AND
AT A REASONABLE
PRICE
ON
EASY TERMS
SEE
HASTINGS BROS
22 N TEJON ST

COTTAGES for sale; one 3 and one 4-room cottage in desirable locations, close to the car line; these will be sold on easy monthly installments, prices reasonable Hastings Bros 22 N Tejon

FOR SALE—Good 5-room house and lot; price $100 422 S Conejos.

NEW LIST
We have the largest line in the city
FOR SALE
by
C E TYLER & CO
NORTH
$7 500—9 rooms, reception hall, all modern conveniences full lot, east front purchaser gets first use of this beautiful home
$7 500—10 rooms, fully modern new lot 50 x190 not far north of Colorado college
$7 000—Close to Colorado college modern 8-room dwelling hot water heat, full lot This is a model home
$8 500—10-room, new modern home close to Colorado college full east front lot and a bargain
$7 250—10 rooms fully modern good barn, full lot, close to Steele school, new and up to date part cash
$5 000—8 rooms new and fully modern the best of plumbing, all modern conveniences full lot, beautiful surroundings half cash takes this new home

EAST SIDE
$2 600—Beautiful 5 room cottage location high good view of city and mountains lot 50x120
$2 700—New 7-room house bath range, etc lot 50x160
$1 800—8 rooms bath, range etc corner lot 50x100 We want an offer
$3 500—7 rooms modern and up to date, new lot 50x150

WEST SIDE
$2 500—7 large rooms—5 bath range electric lights corner lot 45x110 beautiful view of the city You must see this to appreciate it
$1700—4 rooms and kitchen good barn lot 50x190 well fenced fruit, shade, lawn two hydrants, nice south front property and close in. Will make easy terms
$2 150—8 rooms new modern except heat full corner lot 1 block from Manitou car line and Washington school It would cost $3 000 to duplicate this property
$2 1 0 Cash on terms 5 nice rooms bath, range barn iron fence nice lawn lot 40x150 on car line not far out

SOUTH END
$2 500—This desirable property is in the south end rooms and pantry sewer connections city water lot 7x12 terms reasonable
$4 600—3 room house with two small cottages in rear lot 50x190 a splendid investment
$2 100 room house and store also on South Tejon; lot 50x100
$ —3 houses on lot 50x190 rooms 4 rooms and 3 rooms respectively, rents for $35 this is a snap located on South Wahsatch
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17 N Tejon Phone 433 A

FOR SALE
Lands in the Arkansas Valley near Rocky Ford and Holly the garden spot of Colorado
Free transportation to purchasers
STRINGER AND EPLER,
24 South Tejon St

SEVERAL LOTS SOLD THIS WEEK in South Colorado City and one new 6-room house finished ready for rent at $8 per month Work in all the smelters is active and you will find this a good place to invest If you are a laborer BUILD your home here WHILE LOTS ARE CHEAP Homes now built for sale on the installment plan Call at the office of CAHN LUMBER CO for information

FOR SALE
At a bargain 7-room modern house, North Nevada is now renting for $40 per month Call or address
J. W. COFFEY
207 Mining Exchange Phone 628-A.

FOR SALE—Great bargain this week six rooms modern bath furnace full lot 18 blocks north $1,850 snap east front lot 620 block N Weber bargain Harden Exchange Bank block

FOR SALE—Owner must sell immediately at almost any sacrifice new, modern, 6-room cottage North Nevada ave, terms to suit purchaser Address E 173, Gazette

FOR SALE—Choice building lot on best part Institute st., cheap Chas P Bennett 5 Pike s Peak ave

LEGAL NOTICES

BIDS FOR OTERO CANAL CONSTRUCTION

Sealed bids will be received until 10 o clock a. m November 1 1902, by the Otero Irrigation district for the excavation of about 350 000 cubic yards of earth and rock along the line of the Otero canal and for the construction of timber dam across the Arkansas river, for about 700 lineal feet of wooden pipe line and for such other structures as may be determined upon Bids to give price per cubic yard of excavation and per 1,000 board measure Bids will be received for all or any part of the above work and are solicited both to be paid in cash or in bonds of the said district Plans and specifications are on file and may be seen in the office of the board of directors, which is at the office of the secretary, M F Miller, or at the office of the chief engineer F T Lewis, at La Junta, Colo The board of directors hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
M F Miller, Secretary

NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS
Notice is hereby given that the board of directors of the Otero Irrigation district has declared its intention to sell the entire issue of three hundred thousand dollars of bonds of said district and that sealed proposals will be received by the board at their office in La Junta, Colo, for the purchase of said bonds until the 1st day of November, 1902, at 10 o clock a m
The said bonds run from 11 years to 20 years and draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi annually have been duly authorized by vote of said district, in accordance with the laws relating to irrigation districts, and all the real property of said district is liable to assessment for the payment of both interest and principal of said bonds
The board reserves the right to reject all bids. All bids should be addressed to the undersigned M F Miller,
Secretary the Otero Irrigation District, La Junta, Colo

DIVIDEND NO 19
Amount, $55,000 00 Total to date $917 000 00
Notice is hereby given that a regular quarterly dividend of three (3) cents per share and an extra dividend of two (2) cents per share has been declared upon all of the outstanding stock of the Vindicator Consolidated Gold Mining company, issued to date
Payable October 25, 1902, to stockholders of record October 20 1902 By order of the board of directors
Geo A Stahl, Assistant Secretary.
The International Trust company, Denver, Colo., transfer agent

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP
Colorado Springs, Colo, Oct. 18, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between G W Curtis and C E Tyler under the firm name of Curtis & Tyler, has been dissolved by mutual consent and that C. E Tyler will continue the business and will pay the debts of the firm and collect all bills
(Signed.)
G. W Curtis,
C E Tyler.

Colorado Springs, Colo, September 30, 1902.
To the Stockholders of the Colorado Springs Trust Company
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Springs Trust company for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting, will be held at the office of the company 31 North Tejon street, Colorado Springs Colo, on Tuesday, the 21st day of October A D 1902, at twelve (12) o clock noon.
The stock transfer books will be closed at twelve (12) o clock noon on the 10th day of October 1902 and will reopen on the day after the final adjournment of the meeting
F W Stahr,
Secretary.

SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
A special meeting of the stockholders of the Morning Star Gold Mining company is called by resolution of the board of directors as provided by art 3, sec 4, of the by-laws of the company, for Monday the 27th day of October 1902, at 12 o clock noon at the office of the company 60 Postoffice Building Colorado Springs Colo
The object of said meeting is to ratify, or annul, and take all proper action concerning an option-contract granted by your directors on the 1 th day of September 1902 to Mr O C Heming The terms of said option-contract being as follows, to wit.
An option-contract to sell all the real estate owned by the company for the sum fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), payable on or before December 15, 1902 Mr Heming deposited in escrow, together with the contract and deed a certified check for $2 000 00 to be paid at any time prior to said December 15 1902 when a valid meeting of the stockholders shall have ratified the contract, or withdrawn from escrow if not ratified Furthermore, if the option-contract is ratified by the stockholders said $2 000 00 is to be applied to the purchase price in case of a sale or retained in the treasury of the company as liquidated damages in case no sale is made
Books for the transfer of stock will close at 5 o clock on Wednesday the 22d day of October 1902 and reopen three days after the final adjournment of said meeting
If you cannot be present at the meeting please send your proxy to anybody attending the meeting or to the following directors H H Barbee F, L Ballard J D, Ford or F, H Gray, or either of them
H. H. Barbee President
C N Smith, Secretary

To the Stockholders of the Commonwealth Mining and Milling Company
You will please take notice that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Commonwealth Mining and Milling company will be held on the 10th day of November 1902 at the hour of 4 p m, at the office of the company situated at room 78, Hagerman building Colorado Springs Colorado for the purpose of considering the following proposed amendments to the articles of incorporation of the said company viz
1 To amend said articles of incorporation by reducing the number of directors of the company from five to three
2 To amend said articles of incorporation by the insertion of a provision to the effect that meetings of the directors of the company may after such date be held in the city of Decatur in the state of Illinois, instead of in the city of Colorado Springs or elsewhere in the state of Colorado
W M Lewis
President

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE
Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of October 1902 F L Harbaugh of Colorado Springs, Colo made an assignment under the laws of Colorado of all his property to the undersigned, J. A. Voorhees as assignee That the estimated aggregate value of the property of said assignor is five thousand one hundred and seventy-nine dollars and twenty-five cents ($5,179.25), and the estimated amount of the liabilities of the said J L Harbaugh is eight thousand, two hundred and seventy-three dollars and thirty-five cents ($8,273.35).
All creditors of said F L Harbaugh are hereby notified to present their claims to me as assignee within three months from the 15th day of October, 1902
J A Voorhees, Assignee

$25 00 to San Francisco Calif.
$25 00 to Portland
$25 00 to Seattle
$22 50 to Spokane
$20 00 to Butte
Every day during September and October, via the Colorado and Southern railway Call and get full particulars at city ticket office, 15 N Tejon street

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via
D & R G RY
$17 00
Oct 13 16 and 18
Good for return passage until Oct 25 Return limit may be extended to Nov 30 on payment of 50 cents at time of depositing ticket on arrival at Omaha Ticket office, 16 N Tejon St

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WINTER EXCURSION RATES,
VIA ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM,
To all winter tourist points south and southeast Also to Fort Worth and other Texas points For full details call at City Ticket Office, No. 2 Pike's Peak avenue.
W. W. Wood,
City Passenger Agent

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Its train service in Colorado is the best because its track is smooth, trains up-to-date, and its trainmen always ready to please the travelers.
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BRIEF CITY ITEMS

DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado college weather bureau. Observations recorded in local time:

From 6 p. m., October 18, to 6 p. m., October 19.

Temperature at 6 a. m.	37
Temperature at 12 m.	61
Temperature at 6 p. m.	52
Maximum temperature	63
Minimum temperature	35
Mean temperature	53
Max. barometric pressure, inches	24.12
Min. barometric pressure, inches	24.01
Mean velocity of wind per hour	8
Max. velocity of wind per hour	22
Relative humidity at 6 a. m.	62
Relative humidity at 12 m.	41
Relative humidity at 6 p. m.	23
Mean relative humidity	36
Mean dew point	24
Precipitation in inches	0

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Oct. 19.—Forecast for Colorado: Fair Monday and Tuesday.

Satisfied people wear Ashby's spectacles.

PLAZA HOTEL—Reduced rates for winter. J. M. Ward manager.

There are yet a few reasonable price rooms at the Alta Vista hotel.

Save car fare and take your noon meal at the Alta Vista cafe, it will surprise you.

NEW HOUSE—Mrs. Ruth B. Klepper, is building a four-room cottage at the corner of First and Jackson streets.

MINISTERS' MEETING—"My Plans for the Winter" will be the subject of the ministers at the meeting today at 1:45 p. m.

LECTURE TONIGHT—Lecture tonight by Dr. Hills at the Adventist church on the "Image to the Beast." All invited.

MISS NATHAN of Denver will reopen her classes in dancing October 16, at the Antlers. Beginners' class Thursdays. Children under 8 from 2:30 to 4. Masters and Misses from 4 to 6 p. m. Advanced classes Friday 4 to 6 p. m.

Y. M. C. A.—Mr. Reasoner addressed the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday. The strangers' tea was attended by 26 persons, and 16 states and three foreign countries were represented, there being one present from India.

STATE ASSOCIATION—The State Association of Congregational Churches will meet this week Tuesday in Pueblo. The ministers and delegates on their way will reach town this afternoon and stop over until tomorrow, and they will hold a fellowship meeting this evening at 7:30 in the Second Congregational church. Rev. Walter C. Veazie state evangelist, and others, will make addresses. All interested are invited.

COURT OF HONOR—Rocky Mountain District Court of Honor No. 1008, is preparing for a big public entertainment next Friday evening at the Johnson & Wilbur hall. Elocution, music and minstrelsy will constitute the program, with an address on an appropriate subject by Rev. C. H. Wilcox. The program will be followed by an old-fashioned "basket" or "box" supper, for which the ladies attending will furnish baskets with lunch for two and the owner's name within. These will be sold to the gentlemen. Although recently organized here, the Court of Honor already has the name of being one of the most sociable organizations in the city, and all will doubtless be well entertained.

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NOW FOR TEXAS

And southeastern points via the Colorado & Southern—the Texas short line. Here are a few of the points:

Austin, Tex.	$ 37.90
San Antonio	41.20
Houston	41.50
Galveston	42.50
Carlsbad, N. M.	31.75
Roswell, N. M.	27.75
New Orleans, La.	51.90
Torreon, Mex.	57.05
City of Mexico	68.30
Jacksonville, Fla.	67.50
Augusta, Ga.	61.70
Havana, Cuba	93.50
New York via Galveston and steamer	100.00
Boston via Galveston and steamer	104.00

Call at our city offices, 15 N. Tejon street and let us tell you all about it.

WHEN GOING EAST

The Colorado Southern railway gives you choice of routes, via: Burlington, Union Pacific or Rock Island, only one night to Chicago or St. Louis. Pullman space reserved. For further particulars call at city ticket office, 15 N. Tejon street.

WINTER RESORTS.

In the south, southeast and California are most conveniently reached via the Colorado & Southern railway, and connections through Fort Worth, Memphis and by way of the new Dalhart-El Paso route.

Especially low round trip rates will be quoted and sleeping car reservations made on request. Write to T. E. Fisher, general passenger agent, Denver, Colo.

TO CALIFORNIA.

Via our new Southern Route, the Colorado & Southern Ry. It's only $25.00. Call and see us about it, it's no trouble for us to answer your questions, at city office, 15 N. Tejon St.

Read the Gazette Want Ads.

Have You Seen Our New Fall Dress Trimmings?

A showing of the latest novelties in dress trimmings of which we have a right to be proud. Many dressmakers have said that we have the choicest line of dress trimmings in this city. That being the case, would it not be well to look over our line of trimmings before making your selections?

ALLOVERS

Venise Lace—Fillet Lace—Black Silk Lace—Embroidered Chiffon—Embroidered Silk.

CHIFFONS

Shirred—Tucked—Plain and Crepe Finish Chiffon.

TRIMMINGS

Persian Bands and Appliques—Black Silk and Ecru—Venise Galoons and Appliques—Plain and Fancy Silk Braids of all kinds.—Black Silk Appliques—Embroidered Chiffon Applique—Narrow Chiffon and Liberty Ruching—Wide Liberty Silk Ruffling—Fillet Lace Galoons—Black Silk and Ecru Venise Medallions—Laces of all kinds.

THE LINING STOCK

You'll find no more complete lining stock in this city. Besides the staple linings we carry such well-known and liked fancy linings as these:—Saxon Silk—Amisilk—Sylked Velour—Mercerized Moire Velour—Sunshine Satin—Tailors' Serge, Silk Finish.

69c Yard Plain Taffeta Silks in all colors, including Green and Royal, Marine and Navy Blue, which are so scarce at the present time.

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In PLUMBING AND HEATING work is the best. Quality first—last—all the time. No guarantee of quality and workmanship could be stronger than the guarantee we place on all our work, and no prices could be any more reasonable. It is our endeavor to do better plumbing and heating work than any of our competitors.

We solicit your patronage. All orders will have careful and prompt attention.

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Phone Main 381. 122 North Tejon Street.

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that's the condition of the skin at this season of the year, if you do not take due precaution. You can avoid all kinds of skin unpleasantness by using

Dry Climate Cream

made and put up by us is a sure cure for this skin discomfort. Only 25c a bottle. Try it.

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Monday's Soap Sale

7 bars Diamond C Soap	25c
7 bars Water White Soap	25c
7 bars Lennox Soap	25c
7 bars Denver Best Soap	25c
7 bars White Russian Soap	25c
11 loaves Bread	25c
3 pkgs. Aunt Jemima	25c

Any of the above Soaps 100 bars in a box ... $3.45

LAY IN A SUPPLY. Soaps are bound to advance as soon as two more factories can be forced into the Trust.

Same prices at both Premium Stores and Blue Trading Stamps with all purchases.

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GOOD THINGS TO EAT

TWO DAYS ONLY **MONDAY and TUESDAY** TWO DAYS ONLY

Special Apple Sale

We have just received a shipment of fine apples, which we will sell, while they last, at the following very low prices:

Firsts, Fancy Table

JONATHAN RAMBO BEN DAVIS **APPLES** per box....$1.25 / 15 lbs for...50c / 7 lbs for....25c

2nds, Good Cookers

JONATHAN RAMBO BEN DAVIS **APPLES** per box.....90c / 25 lbs for..50c / 12 lbs for...25c

Of the best grade we have a limited number, so please leave your order before the supply is exhausted, as we may not be able to duplicate this offer soon.

Yours for business, F. J. PLIMPTON & CO.

Established (with the town) 1871.

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N. Nevada Ave., 8 rooms and bath..$50	Bijou St., 14 rooms ...$75	
Dale St., 15 rooms and bath...$150	E. Dale St., 10 rooms and bath....$50	
N. Cascade Ave., 11 rooms and bath $150	N. Oak St., 5 rooms and bath......$25	
Established boarding house at.....$175	Offices in El Paso Bank Block.	

Ribbons in all widths and colors, special at yard 25c

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Large line of fine Crepe de Chines in 20 of the most beautiful colors at $1.50

Outing Flannel Gowns

Ladies' and children's plain and trimmed outing flannel gowns in all colors, made from the best quality of outing, ranging in price from 75c to............$2.00

Our Infant's Department

is complete. Everything necessary for the little ones. Kid and patent leather slippers and shoes, wool and silk knit gaiters, knit and embroidered flannel sacques, knit afghans, embroidered blankets, long and short dresses, etc.

Men's Furnishings

New colored shirts, outing flannel and wool night shirts. New line of the very latest style ties and fancy socks, with prices to fit your pocketbook.

Underwear

Special values in ladies' and men's wool underwear at ....$1.00, 1.25, $1.50 and up.

CHILDREN'S fine fleeced lined underwear in all sizes at, each 25c

YPSILANTI union suits, the most perfect fitting garment made, all grades, running in price at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $3.00 and up to $10.50

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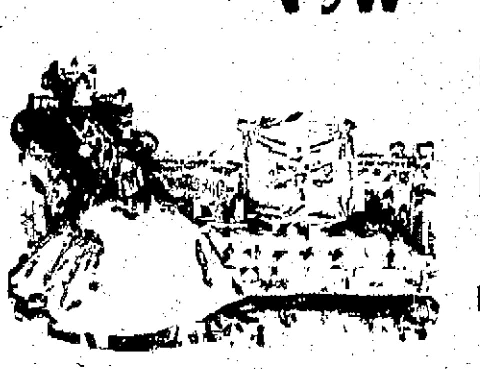
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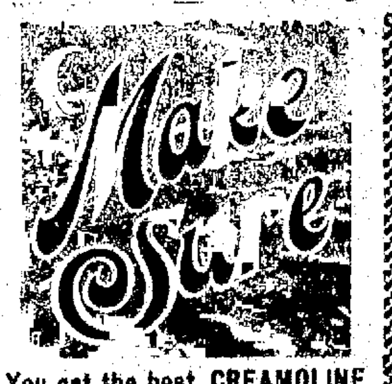


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INTERESTING FIGURES IN THE REPORT OF COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

By Associated Press

Washington Oct [illegible]—The annual report of the commissioner of immigration was made public today. It shows that of the 648,743 immigrants who arrived in the United States during the last fiscal year 466,369 were males and 182,374 females. Of [illegible] [illegible] of arrivals Italy supplied 178,[illegible] [illegible] increase of [illegible] Austria Hungary 171,989 in [illegible] [illegible] and Russia 107,347 [illegible] increase of 21,09[illegible]. Most European countries showed an increase but there was a falling off in the arrivals from Ireland amounting to 1,4[illegible] the total for that country being 29,138. The figures concerning Asiatic immigration show a decrease from China of [illegible] the total being 1,49[illegible] and an increase from Japan of 6,0[illegible] the total being 14,[illegible]. Of the entire number arriving 16,[illegible] were unable to read or write but 74,[illegible] were under 14 years of age. Commenting upon this circumstance Commissioner Sargent says:

"It can be roughly estimated from the foregoing figures how effective in excluding aliens would be a reading test such as that proposed during the recent session of congress which would not be applied to children under 15 and adults over 50."

The total number of aliens refused permission to land was 4,974 or about two-thirds of one per cent of the total arrivals. Of these 3,944 were paupers, 709 had loathsome diseases nine were convicts and 275 contracted laborers. Referring to the rejection of those coming under contracts the report says:

"Although immigration has been largely increased the number refused admission during the year as alien contract laborer has decreased as compared with those barred upon similar grounds last year from 327 to 275. The assumption which might naturally arise from these figures that the successful administration of the law had checked attempts to gain access to the United States in disregard of its provisions is inadmissable in view of the frequency of the complaints which have reached the bureau upon this subject during the year under consideration."

Reference is made to the alien contract labor bill pending in the senate the commissioner expressing the hope that it may pass during the next session.

Mr Sargent finds that the sanguine view expressed in the last annual report of the bureau as to the effect of the careful examination by the United States Marine hospital surgeon upon the transport lines bringing diseased aliens to American ports has not been confirmed by the experience of the past year. He adds:

"The increase of alien immigration has been not quite one-third over that of 1901 but the comparative increase of diseased aliens for the same period has been more than two to one. The same races which exhibited the largest number of diseased persons last year maintained their preeminence in this respect for the year under consideration.

"These figures show conclusively the necessity for legislation which shall inflict upon the transportation lines who have the means of protecting themselves from the effect of a violation of the law by competent medical inspection at the port of foreign embarkation a penalty proportional to the gravity of the risk to the health of the American people by bringing diseased aliens to ports of this country. The present penalty is the mere return of the diseased alien at the cost of the offending line. This however is virtually a penalty."

He strongly advocates the passage of the pending bill on this subject pronouncing it the most important one in the bill.

Speaking of the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion laws Mr Sargent says many obstacles have been encountered and [illegible] numerous [illegible] them.

"A [illegible] year of experience in the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion laws has served to confirm the opinions expressed in the last annual report as to the gravity of the difficulties inherent in the character of the Mongolian race [illegible] met and surmounted. It is but just to say that other causes supplement the stubborn resistance of the Chinese to the requirements both of the laws and of the treaty of 1894. The transportation lines whose financial interests are affected to a large extent by great importance [illegible] in some cases exhibit a lack of sympathy with the administration of the law which would find its proper expression only before the legislative branch of the government." The chief obstructions however to the efficient enforcement of the law arise on the one hand from the unscrupulous character of some American citizens and others who find a large profit in smuggling Chinese of the excluded class across our land boundaries and on the other from the constant interference of those zealous persons in our own midst whose conscientious [illegible] of their own exalted purposes in relation to the moral uplifting of the Chinese appear to them ample justification sometimes for disregard of the law and often for the endeavor to have its provisions waived as unimportant in comparison with their own designs.

He recommends that authority be given for the appointment of agents to administer the Chinese exclusion laws instead of leaving that enforcement to the collector of customs and also that competent special officers be stationed at Hong Kong and Canton for the enforcement of the laws in China instead of leaving that duty in the hands of the American consuls in China. In many cases he says the identification of Chinese persons returning to the United States from China is left by the consuls to their Chinese servants.

Mr Sargent also expressed his conviction of the importance to an efficient administration of the laws particularly those in relation to the exclusion of Chinese of adopting the best available methods of securing such a physical record of every alien found inadmissible to the United States as will enable administrative officers to again identify such alien should he seek access to this country after rejection. Such a record can be secured by the adoption of the Bertillon system of identification.

MISSIONARY COUNCIL OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

By Associated Press

Philadelphia Oct 19—As a preliminary to the annual meeting of the missionary council of the Protestant Episcopal church which will begin next Tuesday services were held today in 40 churches the visiting clergymen addressing the Sunday school children on missionary topics. Bishops and clergymen from every section of the country have already arrived and many more will reach this city tomorrow.

Among the bishops who addressed the Sunday school meetings today were Bishops Van Buren Porto Rico, Kendrick, New Mexico White Michigan City, Peter Kin, West Virginia Brewer Montana, Burton Lexington Ky, and Francis, Indianapolis.

The membership of the missionary council consists of all the bishops of the Episcopal church together with all the members of the board of managers of the domestic and foreign missionary society and other clergymen and laymen selected by the general and diocesan conventions.

The objects of the missionary council are given as follows:

1 To bring the clergy and laity of the Protestant Episcopal church together, mainly for the purpose of consultation as to the best means of filling the church mission.

2 To discuss and suggest plans for directing effectively the missionary forces of the church.

3 Through common worship to lead the church people to a larger realization of their corporate and individual responsibility for prayer, service and gifts for the extension of God's kingdom.

Daily sessions will be held by the council until Thursday night.

CROWN PRINCE OF SIAM SPENT A QUIET SUNDAY

By Associated Press

Philadelphia, Oct 19—The crown prince of Siam who with his brother is the guest of William Potter, former minister to Italy, at the latter's country home on Chestnut hill, spent today quietly. Accompanied by Mr. Potter, he went through the city this morning in a carriage, returning to Chestnut hill for dinner and rested during the evening. Tomorrow the prince will visit Independence hall, where he will be greeted by the mayor. In the afternoon he will make an inspection of the Commercial museum and in the evening dine at the Button club, Chestnut hill.

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RUSSIAN AND AMERICAN PETROLEUM PRODUCTION

By Associated Press

Washington Oct 19—A bulletin issued by the United States geological survey on the subject of Russian and American petroleum production says that since 1897 Russia has produced more petroleum than the United States last year the output in Russia being 85,000,000 barrels and in the United States 68,000,000 barrels. The facilities for handling the large Russian product are at present crude costly and wasteful. The markets are far away from the production. It is said that three and a half barrels of oil equals one ton of Russian coal which is high priced and inferior in quality. Their supply and the fluctuating price interfere with the sale of larger quantities of fuel oil in the great interior of Russia. During 1900 Russia produced about 17,[illegible] short tons of coal the higher grades of which sell for from $7 to $8 per ton. During the same year the United States produced about 270,000,000 short tons of coal. All countries bordering on the Mediterranean are poorly supplied with fuel. Two-thirds of the total production of oil at Baku about 81,000,000 barrels in 1901 now find a market as fuel oil. The total petroleum exports from Russia in 1901 were 428,6[illegible] gallons and from the United States during the same year 1,062,750,3[illegible]6 gallons. The very great difference between the petroleum of the United States and that of Russia is shown in the statistics of refined petroleum. Of the total world's production of crude petroleum in 1901 165,[illegible]5,7[illegible] barrels the United States produced 69,[illegible]1,194 barrels or 41.67 and Russia produced 8[illegible] barrels or [illegible] 49 per cent and [illegible] the total production of refined petroleum of all grades in 1901 estimated at 1,[illegible] gallons for all countries the United States produced 9[illegible],120,94[illegible] gallons or [illegible] per cent and Russia 414,12[illegible] gallons or only 27.7 per cent.

ENORMOUS ENROLLMENT IN SCHOOLS OF THE NATION

By Associated Press

Washington Oct 19—The annual report of the commissioner of education just submitted to the secretary of the interior shows that the grand total of pupils in schools elementary secondary and higher both public and private in the United States for the year ended June 30 1901 was 17,299,2[illegible] an increase of 278,[illegible] pupils over the previous year. Of this number the enrollment of pupils in institutions supported by general and local taxes furnished by states and municipalities was 15,710,394 as against 15,443,462 the number reported for the previous year. Besides these there were certain special institutions like city evening schools business schools schools for Indian reform schools schools connected with asylums, schools for orphans and other special trades and vocation which enrolled nearly half a million pupils. Adding the enrollment in these special schools to that of general education the aggregate is something over seventeen and three quarter millions of our population that received education for a longer or shorter period during the year ending June 30 1901.

The value of property used for public school purposes has risen to $5[illegible],963,383 from $130,38[illegible],008 in 1870 and the expenditures for the common schools (including elementary and secondary schools but excluding all institutions for higher education) amounted to $226,043,27[illegible] having risen to this sum from $63,396,[illegible]63 in 1870. In 1870 the expenditure for schools per capita of the population was $1.64 the past year it was $2.9[illegible] per capita of the population the highest that it has ever been. It was an increase of 16 cents to each man woman and child over the year previous. The average attendance of each pupil for the entire number enrolled was ninety nine days for the year an increase of twenty four days over the previous year.

DR. B. B. TYLER ADDRESSED CONGREGATION IN OMAHA

By Associated Press

Omaha Oct 19—Visiting ministers to the convention of the Disciples of Christ filled pulpits in every church in the city at the morning services the largest of the downtown meetings being at St Mary's Avenue Congregational church where Dr B B Tyler of Denver, principal in the Sunday School association preached on "The History of the Christian Religion."

This afternoon several thousand members attended holy communion services at the Coliseum and at three down town meetings the principal one of which was held at the First Methodist church where Dr John Mott addressed the young men. A boys meeting was held at the Y M C A where Dr Tyler delivered the address. Tonight the visiting ministers again filled the local pulpits.

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AMERICAN ROYAL CATTLE SHOW IN KANSAS CITY

By Associated Press

Kansas City Oct 19—The American [illegible] show will begin [illegible] the finest [illegible] display of [illegible] stock ever seen in Kansas [illegible]. The breeds to be shown are Herefords Shorthorns Galloways and Aberdeen Angus and the number of entries already made is greater than [illegible] ever made here. Two score breeders of national reputation have entered cattle and some of the best herds of best breeds in the world will be represented. More than 100 leading breeders are contributing and they come from twenty-five states and territories in this country and Canada is also represented.

The officials in charge are: Hereford, C R Thomas Chicago; Shorthorn B O Cowan Springfield, Ill.; Galloway, R W Park, Kansas City; Aberdeen-Angus W C McGavock Mount Pulaski, Ill. The judges are: Herefords, Thomas Clark Beecher Ill; Shorthorns, T B Duncan Summer Hill Ill.; D Bradshaw, [illegible]ville Ohio, and S H Thompson [illegible] Iowa; Galloways Prof W J Kennedy Iowa State Agricultural college, Ames Iowa; Aberdeen-Angus A W Davis [illegible] City Iowa.

MEETING UNDER AUSPICES OF MACEDONIAN COMMITTEE

By Associated Press

Sofia Oct 19—An open air meeting convened here today by the Macedonian committee, was attended by 10,000 people. M Michailowsky president of the local committee described Turkish misrule in Macedonia and was loudly cheered by the gathering. The meeting passed one resolution approving the revolutionary movement and another condemning Turkish atrocities.

It is reported here that Turkish troops have occupied the Kresna pass thus becoming masters of the Struma valley and that all the insurgent positions are now untenable.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

By Associated Press

London Oct 19—The continued abundance of money combined with the easing of monetary conditions in the United States and the news regarding the settlement of the coal strike caused cheerfulness on the stock exchange last week. The plentifulness of money is largely explained by the fact that the government has disbursed nearly $50,000,000 within the last few days. It is expected however that the present superabundance of money [illegible] will disappear this week thus bringing the market back to the bank, which will resume its customary control. A consequent general hardening of money will also be effected. Financiers are apprehensive that unless the market price of money closely approximates the bank's minimum rate of 4 per cent the latter's reserve which is already rather low will be considerably decreased by foreign demands for gold which may possibly necessitate a further rise in the rate.

The upward movement of prices on the stock exchange which began on the announcement of the plan to settle the coal strike in the United States has continued. Final figures show practically an all around improvement in which even English railroad shares are included, which the demands for American railroads have greatly increased. Business however needs to be extended considerably before it reaches what is termed normal conditions.

STAGE HOLD-UP.

By Associated Press

North Yamhill Ore Oct 19—The Tillamook stage was held up last night by three masked men five miles from here. The robbers secured $200 from the passengers and then escaped. The highwaymen compelled the passengers to get out of the stage stand in line at the roadside and hand over their valuables. The country is heavily timbered and there is little probability of capturing the robbers.

STRIKE DECLARED OFF

By Associated Press

New York, Oct 19—The strike begun some time ago among the wood carvers employed by a New York firm having the contract for the carvings at the White house has been declared off. The strikers demand that the carvings shall be dressed by hand and not by machine was granted. It is said that President Roosevelt exerted his good offices to bring about the end of the strike.

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PREPARATIONS FOR INAUGURATION OF NEW PRESIDENT AT PRINCETON

By Associated Press

Princeton N J Oct 19—Preparations for the inauguration of President Woodrow Wilson are [illegible] going on and by next Saturday everything will have been arranged. Among the prominent men who will be the guests of the university are a [illegible] of presidents of [illegible] institutions of learning with [illegible] ex Speaker Thomas B Reed Maine Samuel L Clemens (Mark Twain) Robert T Lincoln ex-secretary of war Wayne MacVeagh Philadelphia, ex-attorney general of the United States J P Morgan New York Bishops William Satterlee of Washington and Scarborough of New Jersey H C Frick Pittsburg Thomas Nelson Page the author and A K McClure.

The presidents and secretaries of all the classes which graduated from the university now living or their substitutes will [illegible] in the procession.

Among the leading colleges which will be represented by the following: Harvard Prof Abbott Lawrence; Yale President Hadley, Johns Hopkins, President Remsen West Point Colonel Mills Columbia President Butler University of Pennsylvania, Provost Harrison University of California, President Wheeler University of Wisconsin, President Berge University of Minnesota President Northrup Lafayette college Acting President Kirkpatrick Vassar college, President Taylor Wellesley college, Prof Alice V Prowe. Princeton Theological seminary will be represented by Prof B. D. Warfield and Union Theological seminary by Prof A. C Briggs.

Immediately after the exercises in Alexander hall President Wilson will turn the first sod for the class of 1879 dormitory which will be erected at the head of Prospect avenue. The Columbia-Princeton football game will be played on University field at 3 o'clock and at the close of this a reception will be held at Prospect by President and Mrs Wilson for all the visiting guests and alumni.

WHAT GOVERNMENT WILL DO

The Most Comprehensive Display at the World's Fair Ever Prepared Under Federal Authority

World's Fair St Louis Oct 18—Everything seems favorable for the making of a government exhibit at the World's fair which will excel all previous displays according to W. V. Cox, secretary of the government board.

"There is every reason why the government exhibit should be expected to eclipse all others made by the government," he says. "The Chicago board had to start out without any definite knowledge of what total sum would be available for the exhibit, congress having made the appropriation piecemeal. That was unwise. It really made the exhibit more expensive, for work which otherwise could have been done deliberately and at a moderate expense was delayed until the last moment to be finished in haste and at greater cost. But this board has all its funds at once at its disposal and the plans are being made with every care and decision. This also means that new exhibits will be possible where they have seldom been in the past. I think that in general the legislation is far better than similar previous laws. It is workable without amendment. The exhibit here will be not only larger but infinitely finer than Chicago. At Chicago neither the bureau of the American republics, the department of labor nor the library of congress were included in the government exhibit as they will be here. But I have more in mind the completeness of the representations from the departments individually. It has never been possible for any department to have all its divisions or faculties represented in any one exhibit. At Buffalo probably we came nearest to doing this. At St Louis we may not succeed in fully covering every department but I believe there will be little missing.

"An expert government exhibitor man once very aptly said that the displays made by the government at these shows are in the nature of reports to the people made by their institutions and agents at Washington. These reports are not thrown in the waste basket either like the printed kind they are objects lessons and as such command attention and respect. They do a great good tend to intensify the faith in the government, increase the support of it and bring about an understanding of its workings which could hardly be accomplished in any other manner nearly so well—this being aside from the great educational benefit of the exhibits.

"Of course, it is too early to attempt to say what will be shown and in fact that question might best be answered by saying as the act of congress does: Such articles and material as illustrate the function and administrative faculty of the government in time of peace and its resources as a war power tending to demonstrate the nature of our institutions and their adaptations to the wants of the people.' It would though be more appropriate to ask how these would be shown rather than what for after all the subjects do not change with the expositions, but the government's agents put the material in new shape and dress. However no one can truthfully say the exhibit of the government at any exposition failed to be most interesting if not the most interesting. I might make one modification and say that wherever possible the departments will cover and emphasize the subject of the Louisiana purchase which will mean no small amount of material never before shown.

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"I lingered between life and death."



"I think Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery' the best medicines in the world," writes Mrs. Amelia Dougherty, of Kerrigan, Wayne Co., Mo. "I gave birth to a baby last summer. After confinement I became very ill, had the best physician that could be got, and he diagnosed my case as uterine trouble tending to dropsy. Medicine seemed to do me no good. I lingered between life and death for quite a while, every day growing weaker until I could not walk across the room. My friends were looking for my death every minute. A friend wrote and told me about Dr. R.V. Pierce, and I at once wrote to him for medical advice. He replied immediately, giving me full instructions as to what to do. I at once followed his advice, and when I had taken his medicine about a week I felt a good deal stronger. When I had taken it about one month I felt as strong as I do to-day. I took four bottles of each kind and two vials of 'Pleasant Pellets.' Many thanks for the medicine, it has permanently cured me."

HOLLAND MUST WATCH OUT.

Washington State Claims to Produce Flowering Bulbs Equal to Those of the Netherlands

World's Fair, St Louis Oct 18—The state of Washington may become in time a formidable competitor of Holland in the raising of bulbs. The people of Whatcom have found the land and climate well suited to this form of floriculture. Elmer E Johnston, the Washington Commissioner to the World's fair of 1904 reports that George Gibbs of Whatcom has conducted experiments with flowering bulbs such as crocus, hyacinth narcissus, tulip iris jonquil and the like for several years and claims that the climate of western Washington is peculiarly adapted to the growth and culture of such plants. For over 100 years our florists have imported their bulbs from Holland. Millions of dollars leave the country annually for this purpose. It is the boast of Holland that such bulbs can be grown in no other climate in the world. Mr Gibbs claims that the climate of the United States outside of western Washington is unsuited to their growth, but that he has fully demonstrated the product of the Puget sound region fully equals that of Holland. Bulbs from Whatcom will be a part of the Washington exhibit.

Actors as Jokers.

In an article on practical jokers by Penn Steele in the Era magazine we read:

Actors have always been great practical jokers. David Garrick was fond of mystifying and startling his friends. Foote was a perennial pyrotechnic. Ned Shuter emulated his more famous comrades. On a warm summer day Shuter was traveling in the Brighton stage coach with four ladies. Later a sixth passenger, a corpulent person whose perspiring proportions filled the ladies with dismay. Shuter only smiled. Turning his attention to the ladies he asked one after the other her motive for visiting Brighton. Each had some ailment for which the sea-breezes had been recommended.

"Ah!" sighed the comedian, "I would change places with any one of you. My case is hopeless—"

"And pray what may it be," asked the stout party, pricking up his ears.

"Three days ago I was bitten by a mad dog. Every now and then a fit comes upon me and I begin to bark and bite."

"Heaven bless us!" puffed the other. "But surely you—"

"Bow-wow-wow!"

"Coachman! Coachman!" shrieked the fat party.

"What's the matter?" shrieked back the coachman.

"A mad dog is the matter! Hydrophobia is the matter! Open the door!"

"Bow-wow-wow!" continued Shuter, now frothing at the mouth.

"Open the door! Never mind the steps! Thank heaven, I'm safe out. Let those who likes ride inside. I'll mount the roof."

And mount the roof he did, to the relief of the ladies and the delight of the comedian, who kept repeating at intervals his sonorous "bow-wow-wow!"

Quick Heat

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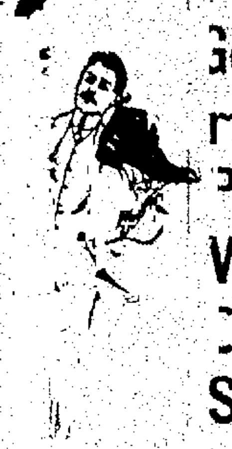
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SUPERINTENDENT ARGO WILL VISIT EASTERN INSTITUTIONS

Prof. W. K. Argo, superintendent of the Deaf and Blind school, left Thursday evening on a tour of inspection of the leading institutions for the deaf and blind in the east. The trustees of the school requested Superintendent Argo to make the trip and study the methods employed at the great institutions in New York, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts, which, with incomes running into the hundreds of thousands annually, and with enrollments of over 500 students, are the best-equipped in the world. The trustees, though they know their school has done and is doing good work for the deaf and blind, wish to place it at the very top of its class, and Professor Argo will make a note of any feature employed at the big eastern institutions that is lacking in his own school and that could be introduced to advantage here.

The state has every reason to feel proud of this institution. Its record in the past has been one of the best, and the future gives promise of still greater efficiency and usefulness.

MIDLAND BAND CONCERT AT CHEYENNE PARK THIS AFTERNOON

Director Irvine announces the following program for this afternoon's Cheyenne park band concert from 3 to 5 o'clock:

March—"El Capitan" .... Sousa
Gems from "The Fortune Teller" .... Herbert
Sextet from "Lucia Di Lammermoor" .... Donizetti
Weber's "Invitation a la Valse" .... Arr. by Meyrelle
Overture—"Raymond" .... Thomas
Intermission.
"In a Cosy Corner" .... Bratton
Grand selection—"The Bohemian Girl" .... Balfe
Spanish fantasie—"La Paloma" .... Yradier
Overture on national air "America" .... Moses-Tobani
March .... Selected

CONCERT TONIGHT AT ALAMO BY THE HOTEL ORCHESTRA

Following is the program for this evening's concert at the Alamo hotel by the hotel orchestra:

Coronation March, from the opera "The Foekunger" .... Kretschmar
Overture—"Zanette" .... Auber
Romanze Alla Stella Confidente .... Robaudi
Fata Morgana Piece Characteristique .... Tobani
Amarosa Waltz Intermezzo .... Cruger

PART II.

Overture—"Der Brauer von Preston" .... Adam
Flower Song .... Langey
Pas des Amphores .... Chaminade
Selection—"Bohemian Girl" .... Balfe

Edwin Dietrich, musical director.

ATTENTION, WOODMEN—The funeral of Neighbor Charles S. Wallace will take place from his late residence, 808 E. Cimarron street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members of Pike's Peak camp No. 6 are requested to meet at 805 E. Cimarron street, to attend the funeral services.

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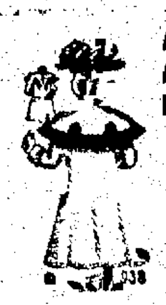
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Another Court Echo of the Famous Antlers Fire Cases

Bills of exception were yesterday filed in the district court in the cases of the Crissey-Fowler Lumber company et al, the Sun and Svea insurance companies and the British-America Assurance company vs. the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad company. These are the famous cases originating from the fire of four years ago which destroyed the Antlers hotel and much other property. The court recently permitted the plaintiffs to file amended or supplemental complaints and the defendant took exceptions, being allowed a specified time to file the bills of exception, which was done yesterday.

In the case of H. Leven et al vs. the Newton Lumber company the defendant filed a general demurrer.

Witness Takes Long Trip and Pickett May Benefit Thereby

R. D. Pickett, a negro who is in the county jail awaiting a new trial on a charge of murder, may secure his liberty through inability of the state to locate the chief witnesses against him. Pickett has already done considerable time in the penitentiary for his crime, but as his original sentence was for life he would doubtless welcome any reduction no matter how slight.

Away back in 1896 Pickett killed a man named Smith in the Cripple Creek district. Soon after, on his plea of guilty, he was sentenced to spend the balance of his natural life in the penitentiary at Canon City and since then, up to a few weeks ago he has been in prison there. He was granted a new trial on a technicality. It is claimed that he went into court on the advice of his attorney and pleaded guilty and that he was sentenced without any evidence being heard, contrary to the law which says that testimony must be taken. It is claimed that Pickett was ignorant of his rights.

The case was only recently re-opened and Pickett was given a new trial. He was brought back from Canon City and since that time has been in the county jail. It is said, however, that one of the eye witnesses to the killing is dead and that another, the only other one, in fact, is in Alaska, and cannot be reached. The other witnesses are scattered since '96 and it might be a hard job to locate them.

"Pickett is one of the best prisoners I ever saw," said Under Sheriff Dayton, yesterday, in discussing the case. "He has never given us the slightest trouble. The report from Canon City regarding his conduct is also excellent."

County Commissioners Yesterday Had Usual Number of Poor Cases

All day yesterday there was a stream of poor people visiting the office of the board of county commissioners seeking aid from the county. It was about the busiest day the board has had for some time in that particular line and as a result the population of the poor farm has been increased by three.

It is usually the case that winter brings on more suffering among the poor than summer and applications to the board for aid are more numerous, but no particular accounting for the influx of yesterday can be offered. Some of the cases were very pitiful indeed. One old woman, near 70 years of age and very feeble, applied for aid. She has relatives living in the city, but they are not in a position to assist her and so, in the gloaming of her years, she will probably have to go to the poorhouse.

"It's pretty hard on the old people," said Chairman Fairall. "There are many cases which come to our attention, however, which really do not belong to this county. They come from the outside, often being sent here, and when they give out they of course turn to the county for aid. We try to keep the number of inmates of the poor farm down as much as possible in order that it may not be too great a burden upon the tax-payers. There are now about 15 inmates, including those added today. There was a time when there was usually about double this number. We send the non-residents to their homes or provide them with work if possible and thus avoid crowding the poorhouse."

Desire for "Owl" Cars is Being Urged in This City

Night workers of the city are agitating the question of owl street cars. There is a small sized army of men and women in Colorado Springs who labor until a late hour—or rather until an early hour in the morning—and they feel that they would furnish sufficient patronage to justify at least one or two owl cars being run after midnight.

"I know a lot of people who would like to see the late cars run," said a prominent restaurant man the other night, talking of the matter. "After the theater a person must hurry and catch his car for home or walk. There is no opportunity to get a small lunch, or do anything else unless they want to hire a hack or take the other alternative, hoof it. I don't speak from the standpoint of one whose business would be benefited alone, but I believe that the public would patronize and appreciate the cars."

In all large cities owl cars are run and they save the street car companies money because they do away with the snow plows. There are a great many people on the streets of Colorado Springs after midnight who would like to have the opportunity of donating their nightly mite to the company.

It must be that belated travelers in this city do a great deal of walking, however, because the hack drivers say that there is little or no money in their line of business. They say that all the money they make goes to feed their horses. And the livery stable keepers say the street hack drivers take all the business that used to come from order hacks, which accounts for there being no money in the livery business. So it looks as though the night cars should be able to pick up considerable business.

Were Pleased With Seven Lakes Surveys

City Officials Expressed Satisfaction With the Character of Work Done by Engineer Case and His Corps.

"We are eminently satisfied with the work done by Engineer Case," declared Alderman Capell last evening after the civic party had returned from their trip of inspection to the Seven Lakes district. This seemed to be the sentiments of all of the members of the party. It is quite likely that the matter will come up for discussion at the meeting Monday night.

The party consisted of Aldermen Capell, Clark, McIntyre, St. John and Stark, Engineer Case and his assistants, Messrs. Waltman, Hopkins and Sikes. The party left here at 8:15 and went to Manitou on street cars. They also took cars to the bottler where they disembarked and walked the remaining three miles to Lake Moraine. Carriages awaited them there and they proceeded to the Seven Lakes district after lunching at the lake.

The entire ground was gone over very thoroughly and Engineer Case explained the surveys which have been made. He showed the sites of the two reservoir surveys and also of the tunnel. The water from the reservoirs is to be conveyed by pipe line, if the plans are carried out, to the tunnel which will empty into Lake Moraine. The tunnel will be about half a mile in length. There are two dam sites, one of which will cost much more than the other but which will give greater and perhaps better storage facilities.

"We are satisfied that the plans of the engineer are the most feasible that could be contrived," said Mr. Capell. "The work has been very thoroughly done and I for one am convinced that Mr. Case's ideas should in the main be followed out."

General Carey Called But [illegible] Present [illegible]

General D. B. Carey of the attorney general's office was in the city last week, but he failed to call upon the board of county commissioners in reference to his little claim against El Paso county for some $15,000 which the state claims as interest on delinquent taxes. In fact, there has been no reference to the claim since it was presented, and the county commissioners have heard nothing from the state. The matter was referred to Treasurer Pollen to look up and Mr. Pollen has as yet submitted no report. The claim dates back to 1878 and will therefore require considerable research on the part of the treasurer.

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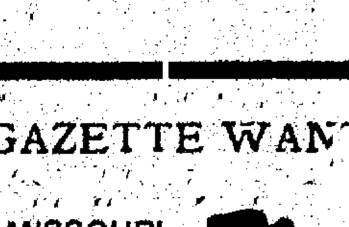
HIGH SCHOOL DANCES WILL BE HELD AT THE ALAMO

Invitations have been issued by the High School Dancing club of 1902 for a series of dances that are to be given by the club during the winter. The dances will be given in the ballroom of the Alamo hotel every other Friday evening. Prof. Edwin Dietrich and his orchestra will furnish the music. These dances are informal affairs among the students of the High school and form some of the pleasantest social events of the school year.

LECTURE TONIGHT—Lecture tonight at Adventist church by Dr. Hills. Subject, "United States in Prophecy." 608 E. Willamette avenue.

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LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION.

THIS is the last day of registration in Colorado Springs.

Every citizen of the state who has not registered should do so early today, for no one can vote at the coming election whose name is not on the books.

If you did not vote at last fall's election, your name is not on the books, and you should get it there today.

If your own name is on the book, is there not some acquaintance who is not registered and whom you can get to attend to it?

The Democrats in Denver realize that their chances of success are very precarious and are resorting to the usual methods of false registration and padding in order to secure the election by fraud.

Every Republican in Colorado Springs and other outside cities should do everything possible to secure the defeat of the Democratic gangsters in Denver, and should make the Republican majority so large that the Tammany leaders there will not dare to stuff the ballot boxes or juggle with the returns.

The first step toward this end is to secure a full registration in Republican cities.

TODAY IS THE LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION.
REGISTER TODAY

REGISTRATION FRAUDS IN DENVER.

ONCE more a Democratic source supplies the evidence for the condemnation of the unscrupulous and desperate Democratic gang.

There has been much that was villainous and much that was criminal in the past history of the Denver Tammany organization, but the past has been outdone in the outrageous registration frauds that were accomplished in Denver the past week.

Republicans who had an undoubted right in the registration booths, either as voters or as representatives of the party, were forcibly ejected, and hundreds and probably thousands of names were placed upon the books at a rate that was utterly impossible if the simplest directions of the law were observed.

That these registration frauds are intended as a preliminary to voting frauds on election day is manifest, and it is equally apparent that they result from the desperation of the Democratic leaders over the evidences of coming Democratic defeat.

In another column there is reprinted a news story from the Denver Post in regard to these registration frauds, which tells vigorously and plainly of the work of the gangsters in the slum districts of Denver.

The Republican leaders in Arapahoe county may be trusted to take such measures as are necessary to secure the purity of the ballot box and to punish the worst of the lawbreakers, but Republicans throughout the state should also do their part by rolling up Republican majorities outside of Arapahoe county of such a magnitude that the Denver gang will not believe that it is possible to secure Democratic success by fraud either in registration, in vote casting or in juggling with the returns from Arapahoe county.

SLANDERERS OF THE DEAD.

IN AN INTERVIEW published in yesterday's Gazette an old Indiana neighbor of W. S. Stratton very effectively contradicted some of the defamatory gossip that has been published in regard to Mr. Stratton's early life. No one with intelligence or ordinary humanity would believe such slanders, for it is too evident with what malicious purpose they are set forth. But if they were true, that would be no excuse for the vampires who would thus seek to dishonor the memory of a dead man who had proven himself in Colorado Springs to be just, generous, honorable and with a public spirit remarkable alike for its rare good judgment and effectiveness.

The efforts now being made to asperse the character and to disparage the intelligence of W. S. Stratton are a sequel to the recent endeavor to enlist public sentiment against the Myron Stratton home, and the misrepresentation of public sentiment that have been so widely published.

It is indicative of the quality of this conspiracy and of its promoters, that they do not hesitate to drag through the mud the name of the man they ought to honor, and to defame the powers of mind to which is due the accumulation of the fortune they are now seeking to dissipate.

Such efforts are outrageous to every sense of decency and honor, but they are fortunately harmless. They can only react against their authors and damage the cause they are intended to strengthen.

There are laws that will be enforced against dragging the bones of the honored dead into the light of day to be exhibited for the gain of those whose moral senselessness permits them to be grave robbers.

And public sentiment, without the law, will be sufficient to teach a much needed lesson to those who seek to rob the dead by dragging into public prominence old scandals that for the most part are wholly false, but which, false or true, are grossly indecent and discreditable to be one so much as to the ghouls that drag them forth.

THE DEMOCRATIC POLICY.

ONE of the Democratic candidates, Alva Adams, is reported as saying that he is "for Colorado against the world."

That is a thoroughly Democratic attitude and one that the party has consistently occupied for several years past.

But the people of Colorado are getting pretty tired of occupying the position of a burro on a railroad track, and it is quite time that there should be a change.

Let us get men into public office and especially into congress who will stand with somebody outside of their own narrow circles and for something.

What is the United States for and why are we proud of being Americans, if we are going to continue to stand for our own selfish and local interests and "against the world."

Colorado is the best state in the union, to be sure, and it can accomplish results much greater than its size and population would indicate. But when it comes to standing against the world, it will not bother the world very much and it will be very much worse for Colorado.

Let us get in touch and sympathy with the progress of events and with the American movement onward.

Let us abandon the Democratic "anti" policy, and commit our interests for awhile to the keeping of the party that is not always and under all conditions "against the world."

President Roosevelt has issued an order intended to inforce the law against improper contributions by federal officeholders to political campaign funds. This is quite in keeping with the president's civil service record, and indicates that he continues to practice what he has steadfastly preached.

OPEN PARLIAMENT

Criticisms of the Rush Bill.

To the Editor of the Gazette:

Allow me through the columns of your paper to call attention to some of the inequitable features of the Rush bill:

1. It forces the inhabitants of the suburban towns and outlying territory which is proposed to be annexed, to come into the city of Denver regardless of their consent. If a majority vote of the state is favorable to the bill it prevails even if every vote of the territory proposed to be added to Denver should be against it. This is contrary to the usual practice of allowing the majority, not of the state, but of those directly in interest, to determine the question of annexation.

2. The bill does not make a just distribution of the existing burdens of debt. Concerning municipal debts it provides that they shall all become a common burden upon the whole consolidated territory; and provides that it shall "assume and pay all bonds, obligations and indebtedness," section 1. But it reverses this plan when it treats of the indebtedness of school districts, and provides that "the indebtedness, both principal and interest, which any school district may be under at the time when it becomes a part by this amendment or by annexation of said district No. 1 shall be paid by said school district so owing the same." (Sec. 7 last paragraph).

Why does the bill adopt these two diverse plans for paying debts? Because Denver owes nearly all of the municipal indebtedness of the joined territory. Some of the towns to be included, Argo for instance, owing no debts, hence Denver can be generous and help the suburbs pay their debts if the suburbs will reciprocate and help Denver pay her debts. But why not be just as generous in paying school debts? Denver district No. 1, which is all of Denver east of Platte river and north of Cherry creek, and includes the principal business portion of the city and all of Capitol hill, owes no school debt, it being long in property values and short in children, is able, on a small tax to meet all its needs. But the suburban districts having been short on property values and long on children, in order to provide school opportunities have been compelled to mortgage the future and hence owe most of the bonded school debts. Hence district No 1, which from the property standpoint in Denver, which without the consolidation would have to pay a very large proportion of Denver's municipal debt, can let the suburbs that are to be forced into the new municipality help her pay her debts, but the bill does not require her to return the compliment by helping the suburbs pay their large bonded school debts. If the bill had provided that each municipality should pay its own debts and each school district should pay its own debts, or if it had required the consolidated territory to assume and bear all indebtedness of whatever nature as a common burden, it might claim to be fair, but as now framed it cannot claim a single pretense of honesty and equity.

Two main arguments are urged for the bill. One is that it will give home rule to Denver. I would like to see this accomplished, but why is consolidation of city and county and suburban governments necessary for home rule? Vote this bill down and let the next legislature give us a pure and simple bill for home rule, or if we cannot accomplish what we want through the legislature direct, let the next legislature submit a pure home rule amendment for Denver only, leaving the county and the suburbs as they are, and then if any suburbs want to come in, our present statutes provide how they may do so. We will thus save the state from the everlasting disgrace of having consented and being a party to a proceeding that is so grossly unjust in some of its provisions.

The second argument urged for the bill is that it will result in economy. It may be an economical movement if Denver alone is concerned. A few heads of departments may be dispensed with for a time in the consolidation of city and county, but I think that fewer of them will be dropped than we now estimate. The clerical force will need be virtually the same as now. There are always about so many political workers, and each worker must have a job after election, and the consolidation of city and county governments will hardly make the number less than now. The new county and city of Denver by the bills creating the counties of Adams, and South Arapahoe must pay to these counties its proportion of the value of the county court house, jail, hospital, poor farms and all other property, real and personal, the amount to be determined by the relative values of the property of the territories as newly constituted. It must transcribe into new books all the county records that pertain to those new counties. Thus a large and unnecessary burden of expense will come to Denver which counterbalances much of the saving contemplated. But suppose a few thousand might be saved to the people of Denver each year; what about the added expenses of organizing, equipping, transfering the records, and running two more counties and supporting two sets of officers in the same territory that now is provided for by one? Who will contend that it will be economical for the people of the whole county? Besides it is doubtful if either of the new counties could financially maintain existence. If this is a movement of the people and for the benefit of the people of Arapahoe county, let some show it, but if it is a movement for the benefit of Denver, as it is and is only, to the great injury of the rest of the county, then let the good people of the state for the security of equity and justice to the people of Arapahoe county, outside of the present Denver, vote against the bill, and send it back to the next legislature for revision. Respectfully,

Geo. Richardson.

An Indian Book by Charles Godfrey Leland.

During the last week of October, Funk & Wagnalls company will publish the most important contribution to Indian folk lore that has appeared since "Hiawatha." Its title page reads: "Kuloskap the Master, with Other Algonkin Legends and Poems, metrically translated from original Passamaquoddy, Micmac and other Indian sources by Charles Godfrey Leland and John Dyneley Prince. With Birchbark drawings by Mr. Leland; a frontispiece by Edwin Willard Deming, and many original designs by F. Berkeley Smith."

Kuloskap is the legendary hero of the Algonkins, as Hiawatha is of the Dakotas, and the folk tales about him have the same mystic glamour and epic charm which attaches to Longfellow's hero. In addition, however, there is a rich vein of fun running through them which crops out everywhere with that effect of surprise which heretofore has been considered an entirely modern development of American humor.

It will be seen that the author of "Hans Breitmann's Ballads" and many treatises on folk lore appears here in his element. The work of his collaborator, Professor Prince, who is the leading authority on Algonkin dialects, is in the same vein. His scholarly introduction gives philological and historical value to a book already destined to be a literary classic. Unusual care has been taken that the book should be appropriately and accurately as well as artistically illustrated.

Where Democratic Editors Are Saying.

STATE POLITICS

"As long as Mr. Bryan is to travel on a special train we demand in the interests of Democratic success that he visit this section," read a telegram which Ouray citizens sent to Denver the other day.

All this tends to show the straits in which the Democracy finds itself—without a peg to tie to and now their hope is in Bryan—a rank outsider—coming and telling the people what is to their interest. But as we have heretofore remarked, our taxpayers are better judges of this than Mr. Bryan. Mr. Bryan does not help out when it comes to extricating the county from a warrant basis. Instead, he is paid $200 per day for his logic and at this rate he lets it go by the yard, but it has not subserved to the interests of our county and the Herald is not afraid that our people will be led astray by the siren voice.—(Durango Herald.

Everybody in Colorado who is with Teddy Roosevelt in his fight against the trusts should vote to send a Republican delegation to congress to back him up in his fight. Roosevelt is the best friend the west ever had in the White house, and it will be a lasting disgrace if we return a delegation who are not in harmony with his policies, which, if carried out, will prove of the greatest benefit to Colorado. Goudy, Hogg and Brooks can and will do things for the state, while the present aggregation of filibusters have seldom raised their voices except to cast discredit upon their own government and its soldiers.—(Saguache Crescent.

Ten thousand people in the employ of one company in Colorado have had their wages voluntarily increased. This "speaks louder than words" for the prosperity of the state and the desire of the employers to keep it prosperous. Colorado can afford to be generous as it has resources that leave it without a competitor; yet when the rest of the country feels the pinch, it is in a position to cry out too. Colorado should be in line with the party that makes it possible to pay the highest wages to labor ever recorded, for any length of time.—(Leadville Herald-Democrat.

The danger of the adoption of the (Bucklin) miscalled "Australasian tax" amendment at the forthcoming election lies not in the numbers who will vote for it, but in the numbers who may not vote at all, through lack of realization of the importance of their vote. The single taxers and other advocates of the amendment have been straining every nerve to bring out their full vote. It is up to the farmers and other land owners and the intelligent, conservative people who know that depreciation of land values, owing to intolerable taxation, must ultimately affect all business and all industries.—(Telluride Journal.

H. M. Hogg will be the next congressman from this district, and he will be able to cut more ice in Washington than has been harvested by the whole congressional delegation during the past 10 years. Mr. Hogg is a brainy man of much ability, and will be a power for the district after election.—(Canon City Record.

The Democracy of Colorado is in such gore straits that the services of William Jennings Bryan have been secured at $250 per speech, as a spellbinder. All hopes of Gilpin county going in the Democratic columns have gone glimmering, so that W. J. B. will not be heard in this county. He will be heard in the farming districts, however, where prosperity has been changing the voters from the fusion ranks into the Republican columns, but on whom his eloquence will have no effect.—(Central City Register-Call.

When John F. Shafroth speaks in Evans and talks for an hour to show how much he and the Democratic party are opposed to trusts, and how hard he is laboring to condemn them and catch votes, we hope he will not forget to explain why he and all but four of the Democratic party in congress voted against a constitutional amendment to give federal control of trusts. This will be harder to explain than how and when John became a Democrat. By their fruits ye shall know them.—(Greeley Sun.

A Creditable Article.

Last Sunday's Colorado Springs Gazette contains a lengthy article from the pen of L. H. Johnson on "What is the Matter with Cripple Creek." It does credit to that well-known writer.—(Fort Morgan Herald.

The selection of a United States senator should be but incidental to the meeting of a legislature, and not the paramount issue, as some would seek to make it, and the cry raised by the Democratic party to "Save Teller," is made for no other purpose than to turn the attention of voters from the real issue in Colorado, which is whether a party that relies on its ability to cast 10,000 illegal and fraudulent votes in one county alone, together with the most iniquitous, unfair and disgraceful gerrymander law that ever was placed upon a statute book, to retain its power in the state offices and legislature, can have the support of loyal, patriotic citizens who desire above all things that our state institutions be above reproach and our law administered for the benefit of the public and not for the private gains of every office who has a chance to make a public contract.—(Sterling Advocate.

Senator Patterson, in his speech at the armory, frankly admitted that the irrigation bill would never have become a law but for the influence of President Roosevelt. Except the homestead law no other measure ever enacted was of so much importance to the west, and Democrats admit that to the president is due the principal credit for its enactment. No other man who has occupied the presidential chair knew so much about the west and its needs or was so good a friend to this section. He stands by the west and the west should stand by him and Colorado should send a delegation to congress that will act in harmony with him, instead of opposing everything the administration and the Republican party proposes.—(Boulder News.

The Democrats are again trying to make the "saving of Teller" the paramount issue of the campaign, and hope with this slogan that the people will forget all about state and local affairs. The question as to whether Teller, or Thomas, or Goudy, or somebody else is elected United States senator next winter is not the paramount one at this time. The question is whether the people want to retain the same old fusion crowd in office or whether they want a change and a business administration by the Republican party; whether they want another freak general assembly with its incomprehensible revenue law, outrageous Bucklin amendment, and other baneful results of two sessions of the fusion legislature, or whether they want rational, intelligent legislation along practical lines. The indications all over the state point to a substantial Republican victory, and if we mistake not the temper of the people such will be the result next month.—(Red Cliff Blade.

CHANCES FOR ELECTION

(Leadville Herald Democrat.)

In certain parts of the state, like Lake county, there is a degree of confidence exhibited in Republican ranks that is good and bad. The confidence that does not keep a voter from the polls is all right. It is almost certain that the Republican state ticket will be elected. The Democratic party is laboring under several severe disadvantages. It has the heavy load of the present state administration to carry. It has the popularity of President Roosevelt to fight against, and this is a wonderful factor. Because the average politician does not recognize this will make the surprise all the greater. Roosevelt is the leader for the west and he will sweep the west. The results this November will be the forerunners for two years hence.

The Democratic party cut loose from the Populists, which was well from a purely political point of view. Nothing would have pleased the Republicans better than to have the conditions that existed two years ago repeated. Thoughtless persons believe that the divorce weakened the Democratic party. This is not so. Fusion would have lost more to the party than the Populists will vote. The evening division of the bifurcated journalism of Senator Patterson has been holding out much hope for the Populist ticket while it has been denouncing the Socialist party, but there is method in this. The junior senator knows that there are more ways than one of killing an enemy in concealment—and that is what the Democratic ticket is to him and his aspirations. It is under the Jekyll-Hyde journalistic arrangement of his favorable to the Populist in view of what he expects to take place two years hence. He will not risk his political and journalistic future by supporting the Hill ticket, that will surely be nominated in the next national convention of the Democratic party, and he will have the Populist cyclone cellar to run to.

The Socialist ticket will be a far greater factor in the Colorado field than the Populist ticket can hope to be. A large number of those who gave Populism its strength 10 years ago, are to the front ranks of the newer Socialism as found in this state. Added to these are the non-politicians, thinkers, who believe that Socialism is the solvent for the danger of Morganism. The Socialist ticket will draw, first from Populism, second from Democracy and third from Republicanism. Whether the percentage will be large from the Republican party is a question hard to answer. There are those who have given study to the question, who declare that the loss to the two old parties will be almost equally divided and there are others who maintain, with the junior senator in Colorado, that the Socialist movement does not amount to anything and will give up the ghost after the November election. The returns will determine.

Republicans who believe in Roosevelt and a Republican state, cannot afford to lie back, they must be up and doing until the polls have closed. The state may have to poll up a large plurality in order to overcome Arapahoe county, where the vicious Democratic machine is hard at work.

ELECTION GUESSES

A prominent Republican ventured a small stake the other day that Peabody will carry Fremont county by over 1,000 majority. We mention this merely to show what some people think about the matter.—(Canon City Record (Rep.)

An Eldora special to the Republican says that a conservative estimate places the majority for the Republican ticket in this county at 1,200. Since it is a well-known fact that the most conservative (?) pre-election statement of a Republican is wildest exaggeration to a conservative man, you must subtract 2,500 from the estimate to get near the truth.—(Boulder Camera, (Dem.)

The Boulder Herald claims a Republican majority bordering on a thousand in Boulder county. If Boulder does as well as that and we hope she will, the Republican state ticket will hike into Denver with fully 25,000 majority. Boulder county has heretofore been a hotbed of Populism, but it went Republican last year and advices, public and private, are to the effect that the Republicans will do much better this year.—(Fort Collins Courier, (Rep.)

The People's Party will probably cast about 600 votes in Lake county this fall. That 600 will not hurt the Democratic ticket in any way. If there was fusion the Democrats would not receive over half of that vote.

With Senator Blakey off the ticket, it has no strength now. It is practically without a head, and when the head of a ticket pulls off it shows a sign of weakness that cannot be accounted for in any way except by shortage in support.—(Leadville News Dispatch, (Dem.)

MINING TAXATION

This year the taxpayers of Gilpin county, and of every other mining county in the state, have an excellent opportunity of judging of the merits of the outrageous revenue bill passed by the last fusion legislature of Colorado. Under that act the mining property in the state has been taxed from three to one hundred times what it was in former years, and the taxes to be paid this year is the first dose they will receive as a result of that measure. According to the assessment all unproductive patented mining property in the county, without any improvements whatever, is assessed at from $300 to $500 each, according to location. The tax on the same property heretofore has been $100, regardless of location. This year's taxes has been collected on one-fourth of the gross output of the mines, no matter whether the gross output did or did not pay the whole or even one-half of the expenses of production, one-quarter of the whole amount is subject to taxation, and we don't blame mine-owners and operators for using pretty plain talk against the measure and the fusion administration that was responsible for it. To show the injustice of the bill, we will mention one group of claims not far from this city, the taxes on which was in even $100 last year. The taxes this year on the same property is over $700. The gross production of this group last year was $78,000, and the operating expenses close to $65,000, but the owners were held up for one-fourth of the $78,000, besides taxes on their several claims, and shaft houses and machinery. It was no fault of the county assessor or of the county commissioners that the taxes were increased seven fold, as the county officials are compelled to obey the law enacted by that infamous measure forced upon the people by the fusion administration, and any mine owner or operator of Gilpin or any of the other mining counties of the state who votes the Democratic ticket this fall, which party was responsible for the bill as the Populists, has no right to kick or to find fault if his taxes are from one to seven times what they have been heretofore.—(Central City Register-Call.

IRRIGATION CONGRESS

The National Irrigation congress at Colorado Springs this week was a great success—great in numbers, great in the character of the proceedings and great in the influence for good it will have.—(Canon City Clipper.

The result of the irrigation congress just closed at Colorado Springs is bound to result in great benefit to the whole of the new west. After 10 years of agitation and argument the movement for the reclamation of the arid lands of the western states has taken tangible form, the result of which will be the rapid multiplication of population and wealth in the states affected. Irrigation is no longer a local issue. The whole nation is interested, as is shown by the attendance and real interest in the Colorado Springs meeting. Government aid and encouragement is assured, which means the opening up of a vast territory that has heretofore been a barren and inhospitable waste, affording opportunity for the struggling masses in the narrow confines of the east to secure homes under the most encouraging and liberal conditions. Colorado, under discouraging and halting conditions, has already made a considerable progress in the way of irrigation, and has worked wonders in transforming the barren plains into the most fertile and productive fields of the world, and when the new national law is fully in working order still greater things may be looked for, so that in a very few years the vast tract once indicated on the maps as the "Great American desert," already interspersed with numerous oases, will be entirely wiped out and transformed into a territory as rich and fertile and as desirable for the establishment of permanent residence and abiding place as the most favorite regions of the temperate zone. In the evolution of progress nothing has ever occurred so fraught with promise for the mighty west as the late National Irrigation congress.—(Telluride Journal.

IN GENERAL

The Bucklin Bill.

(Loveland Reporter.)

If personal property and improvements should be exempted from taxation as would be the case were the (Bucklin) "Australasian tax" amendment to go into force in this country, the deficit in revenue caused by these exemptions would have to be made up by increased assessment on land. Personal property provides, in round figures, throughout the state, one-half the revenue. Consequently the land would have to provide double the amount it now does. Doubling the present assessment on land would render many town lots and some ranches immediately valueless. Taxes would not be paid on such land. The country would get the land and the amount hitherto derived from its taxation would have to be provided by an increased assessment on other land. Each year more land would be sold for taxes and the remaining land would have to bear a heavier burden. It would not take long at this rate to forfeit every foot of land to the country except that so highly improved that it necessarily belongs to rich men. That is how the Bucklin amendment would work in practice. Confiscation of the small owners' real estate, exemption from taxation of the rich man's money, credits and other personal property. And in the long run even the rich would suffer, because of the depreciation of all values due to panic.

Coal Strike Settlement.

(Longmont Ledger.)

The great coal strike is ended. To President Roosevelt's energy and determination the credit is largely due. A commission of six persons with a seventh as recorder, will adjust the differences between operators and miners. Yesterday's dispatches said that President Mitchell of the miners union will take the necessary steps to call the strike off. The news will be received with immense relief by millions of people in the eastern states who are effected in some way or other. This is one of the greatest strikes in history and shows to what an extent labor troubles may lead if some positive legislation is not made to prevent their occurrence.

Brooks is All Right.

(Pueblo Chieftain.)

Democratic organs try to make out that Franklin E. Brooks is an "unknown person," but all who heard him speak in this city last night went away satisfied that at any rate the Republican managers must have known him, or they would not have selected him for the nomination, and that's good enough. Mr. Brooks has been prominent in legal and business interests for many years, not only in Colorado Springs, but he has interests in Pueblo. He has long been personally known to these same Democratic magnates who are trying to give out the impression that Mr. Brooks is "unknown." As much as 12 years ago he had a tilt at law with Charles Thomas that gentleman doubtless well remembers. Mr. Brooks made a splendid speech last night—not the speech of a local stump speaker or narrow politician, but one that was elevated in tone, broad, manly, statesmanlike, such as would be of the kind of talk for the halls of congress.

But aside from the personality of any candidate for congress there is the overwhelming question of how he will vote on the great problems of public policy, the policy that decides the very life and progress of the nation and the bread and butter of ninety-hundredths of its people. No man who will not vote for Republican prosperity and American progress can get Pueblo's vote.

"Yellow Journalism" in Denver.

(Leadville Herald-Democrat.)

There are four newspapers, alleged and accepted, in Denver, three of them yellow; two in particular.

A man by the name of Horn is being tried in Cheyenne, Wyo., for murder. The crime is not unusual in that state and it sometimes happens that there is a trial of some kind or another. Wyoming is in the class of Cleveland's "undesirable states and territories."

The man in question was a detective for the cattlemen and is accused of killing a boy. He may be guilty or he may not; one life more or less to such a person is not worth botherling about. There is nothing particular about him and the murder was different from others in its cold-bloodedness and lack of motive. It has been made the excuse for a display of the "yellow" by the Denver newspapers. Red and blue colors and frenzied heads cover the Rocky Mountain News and its evening attache and pages are given to a recital of the evidence. Fakes are used every day to encourage the morbid to welter in blood. The worst in human nature is pandered to without any excuse whatever, in order that a few extra dollars be added to the sales account. Another Denver paper has had to enter the race and it is giving some weird displays of sensationalism run riot.

The Leadville readers do not enjoy this spate of yellow and ochre and they certainly do not encourage it. There never was a time in the history of the district when the Denver newspapers had such little sale as they have now. When the sheets that have been referred to are not wallowing in the crimes of Wyoming they are splurging around in the filth and scandal of Denver.

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